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Pakistan's opposition leader Shehbaz Sharif (C) leaves the Supreme Court building after a hearing on Monday | AFP

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PAK SC ADJOURNS HEARING ON REJECTION OF NO-TRUST VOTE

Turns down Oppn's plea for a quick verdict, saying it needed more time as its decision will have far reaching consequences

SPEAKER CAN'T REJECT NO-TRUST VOTE: CJP

The matter will be heard again on Tuesday. During Monday's hearing, chief justice Umar Ata Bandial observed that the speaker of the House can't reject a no-trust vote, even by citing Article 5 of the country's constitution. Deputy speaker Qasim Suri had claimed the vote was backed by foreign powers, and thus, it violated Article 5, which calls for loyalty to the state

IMRAN NAMES U.S. OFFICIAL WHO SENT LETTER

- Pakistan Prime Minister Imran Khan on Monday named Donald Lu as the US official from whom he received a "threat letter"
- Imran has nominated former chief justice, Gulzar Ahmed, as the caretaker prime minister. Imran will continue as the prime minister till the caretaker government takes charge | P11

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SINCE JUSTICE AHEMED RETIRED. HIS BENCH HAD DISQUALIFIED NAWAZ SHARIF FROM POLLS FOR LIFE

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EATING OUT? SHELL OUT 10% MORE

SHILPA P @ Bengaluru

WITH the rise in prices of essential commodities, including LPG, cooking oil and others, Bengalureans will now have to shell out 10 per cent more for eating out at hotels. The increase will be 5-10 per cent in other parts of the state.

The decision was taken by the Bruhat Bengaluru Hotels Association at a meeting in Bengaluru on Monday evening. Association president PC Rao said that with the rise in prices of cooking gas, oil, coffee powder and other commodities and increase in rent for commercial spaces and salaries of staff, it has become inevitable to increase prices of food items. The price rise will come into effect in the next seven days, he added.

In-charge president of the State Hotels Association Chandrashekar Hebbar said the hotel industry, which was already reeling under the impact of Covid, has to deal with almost doubling of the prices of LPG and oil. Hoteliers are left with no other option but to increase prices of food items by 5-10 per cent. District-level associations will take decisions concerning their respective areas, he added.

A TV grab of resumption of proceedings in the Rajya Sabha after ruckus over fuel price hike, in New Delhi on Monday | PTI

Ruckus in Parliament over continuous fuel price hike

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ New Delhi

BOTH Houses of Parliament saw ruckus over increase in fuel prices with the Opposition demanding a discussion on the matter. While Rajya Sabha proceedings were a washout after repeated adjournments as the Opposition trooped into the Well of the House, in the Lok Sabha, the Opposition staged a walkout after noisy protests.

Sources said the Upper House may function normally from Tuesday as the Opposition wants debates on a clutch of legislations, including the Criminal Procedure (Identification) Bill, 2022 and the MCD unification bill.

Congress chief Sonia Gandhi will chair a meeting of party MPs on Tuesday morning to discuss the party's strategy for the week.

Three Rajya Sabha members K C Venugopal (Cong), Binoy Visvam (CPI) and Abir Ranjan Biswas (Trinamool) had given suspension of business notices in the Upper House to discuss the rise in prices of fuel. The chair, however, turned it down saying the issue has already been discussed during the debate on the Finance Bill and the Appropriation Bill.

"Today the combined Opposition forced an adjournment of the Rajya Sabha for the entire day on the issue of continuing hike in petrol, diesel, cooking gas, and also increase in prices of other essential commodities, especially edible oil and fertilisers," tweeted Jairam Ramesh, Congress chief whip in Rajya Sabha.

Petrol prices have been hiked for the 12th time in the last 14 days, raising its cumulative cost by ₹8.40 per litre.

Amidst the commotion, Trinamool's Derek O'Brien demanded a discussion on the women reservation bill. Former prime minister H D Deve Gowda stood to speak but could not be heard.

In the Lok Sabha, DMK members trooped into the Well shouting slogans as soon as Zero Hour began. Later, members from other Opposition parties joined in. As the chair continued to run Zero Hour, the Opposition staged a walkout.

Power tariff up by 35p per unit, effective from April 1

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

GET ready to pay an extra 35 per paise per unit in your electricity bill as the Karnataka Electricity Regulatory Commission (KERC) on Monday announced an increase in power tariff.

The average hike is 35 paise per unit, which works out to an increase of 4.33 per cent. Commission Chairman HM Manjunatha told the media that the increase comes into effect from April 1.

"Against the demand of Rs 1.85 per unit by electric supply companies (escoms), the commission has increased the tariff by 5 paise per unit and hiked the fixed charges ranging between Rs 10 and Rs 30 per unit. The overall increase in tariff per unit is 35 paise," Manjunatha added.

He said the demand of escoms was rejected as they were unable to substantiate their claim with sufficient documents and the hike was pegged at 35 paise per unit. The revision of tariff will help escoms recover a revenue deficit of Rs 2,159.48 crore, which includes Rs 1,700.49 crore deficit in the financial year 2021.

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Merged HDFC to be behemoth

RAM SAHGAL @ Mumbai

HOUSING finance major HDFC will amalgamate itself with HDFC Bank in corporate India's largest merger to date, creating a financial behemoth with a loan book second only to that of the State Bank of India upon completion of the transaction in 12-18 months.

Shareholders of HDFC will receive 42 shares of HDFC Bank for 25 shares they hold as on the record date, while promoter HDFC's 21% stake in the bank will be extinguished, making HDFC Bank a 100% public owned company. HDFC shareholders will own 41% of the merged entity, making the structure relatively more lucrative for them. As the 21% stake that the promoter holds in HDFC Bank is extinguished, the legroom for foreign portfolio investor ownership would widen by 7%, said Keki Mistry, vice chairman and CEO of HDFC.

RICKY KEJ BAGS SECOND GRAMMY AWARD

Music composer Ricky Kej, based out of Bengaluru, won his second Grammy on Sunday in the best new album category for 'Divine Tides'.

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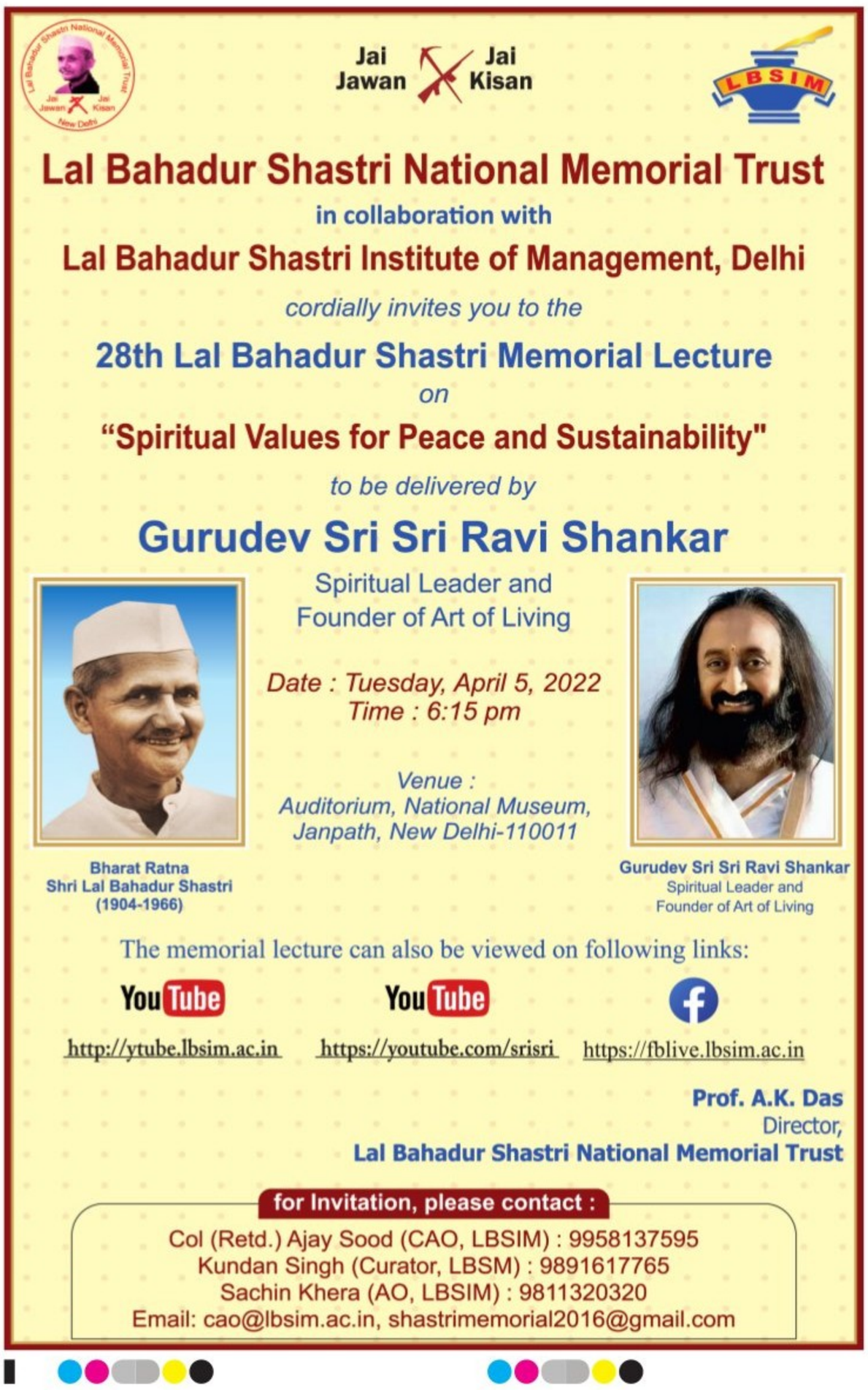
EXPRESS READ

Mask rule may go soon in Karnataka

The state government may soon relax the mask rule, hinted Health Minister Dr K Sudhakar. Though there is no official order on relaxing the rule, 90% of the people are not wearing masks, he said. P3



ALMANAC TODAY
• **Tuesday:** 05/04/2022 • **Year:** Shubhakrutha • **Ayana:** Uttharayana
• **Ritu:** Vasantha • **Masa:** Chaitra • **Paksha:** Shukla • **Tithi:** Chathurthi 2.23 pm
• **Nakshatra:** Krithika 3.40 pm • Moon in Mithuna Rashi • **Rahukaala:** 03:00 am to 04:30 am
• **Gulikakala:** 12:00 pm to 01:30 pm • **Yamaganda:** 09:00 am to 10:30 am

WEATHER | MIN 22°C | MAX 33°C | **FORECAST** Partly cloudy

Sunrise 6.13 am | Sunset 6.31 pm | Moonrise 8.57 am | Moonset 10.04 pm

FALL IN LINE FOR POWER

KERC moots Telangana model for IP sets subsidy

Power to be cut if bills not paid; will apply to govt offices too

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Bengaluru

KARNATAKA Electricity Regulatory Commission Chairperson H M Manjunatha on Monday said that all electricity supply companies (Escoms) should fall in line and be serious and efficient in their working, failing which they should be ready to face stern action.

He was speaking to the media after the Commission announced increase in power tariff by 35 paise, with effect from April 1, 2022. "The power situation has improved over the years and there is no shortage of power, but at the same time there is no professionalism among companies," he said, adding that all Escoms should think of it as an industry and not a government body. "They seem to have forgotten they come under the Companies Act. They should have a corporate culture."

Manjunatha said Karnataka should follow Telangana's power supply model, where good subsidy is given for IP sets for over and above the average consumption. Modalities are being worked out on how it can be gradually introduced here, he added.

The Commission announced that the estimated subsidy amount to be paid to Escoms and Hukkeri RECS by the government towards free supply of electricity to 33.15 lakh IP sets up to 10HP is Rs 13,019 crore for the financial year 2023, as against Rs 12,267.58 crore.

On recovery of dues, Manjunatha said power supply will be cut off if bills are not paid, and this will apply to government offices also. As per KERC assessment, there are dues of around Rs 6,000 crore, but as per the Reforms Committee headed by former chief secretary T M Vijay Bhaskar, the dues are around Rs 8,000 crore.

Not the time to hike rate: FKCCI

Bescom had initially proposed Rs 1.58 per unit energy charge, and now KERC has approved the overall average increase of 35 paise per unit, which is approximately 4.33 per cent, as against 23.83 per cent proposed by Bescom. FKCCI welcomes the special incentive schemes announced by KERC. It was not an appropriate time to hike the power tariff. FKCCI had made strong representation to the energy department and KERC during the public hearing not to hike the power tariff for the next 2-3 years.

I S Prasad, President, FKCCI, Bengaluru

PANDEMIC LED TO REVENUE LOSS

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Karnataka Electricity Regulatory Commission (KERC) Chairman HM Manjunatha said the Covid pandemic brought down the sale of power by 7,228.65 MU (million units) in 2021-22, resulting in a revenue loss of Rs 6,182.84 crore. Distribution losses are at 10 per cent and transmission losses at 3 per cent.

For escoms, the power purchase cost is Rs 6.43 per unit, while the sale cost is Rs 8.43 per unit.

NEW POWER TARIFF

THIS IS WHAT A CONSUMER WILL PAY PER UNIT

FOR HOUSEHOLDS
(By Bescom in BBMP Limits)

Consumption level	Monthly Bill existing (₹)	Monthly Bill Approved (₹)	%age increase
0-50 units	319	**337**	5.64
51-100	597	**617**	3.35
101-200	1497	**1552**	3.67
201-300	2312	**2372**	2.60
301-400	3127	**3192**	2.08

AREAS IN PANCHAYATS AND OTHER CITIES

Consumption level	Monthly Bill existing (₹)	Monthly Bill Approved (₹)	%age increase
0-50 units	295	**313**	8.10
51-100	558	**578**	3.58
101-200	1408	**1463**	3.91
201-300	2173	**2233**	2.76
301-400	2938	**3003**	2.21

- To promote green energy, a rebate of 50 paise/unit is offered on applicable tariff to HT consumers
- To encourage micro industries, a rebate of 50 paise/unit is offered in monthly utilization for a year.
- Fish product manufacturing and storage plants, within 5 km from the sea, will get a rebate of ₹ 1/unit.
- KERC continues with the Discounted Energy Rate Scheme at ₹ 6 per unit for HT consumers.
- Special Schemes to continue for HT consumers. ₹ 1/unit from 10 am-6 pm and Rs 2 from 10 pm-6 am.

• Penal charges of Rs 2 per unit will be levied for consumption from 6 pm-10 pm during non-monsoon months

SC stays order on BU V-C appointment

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

THE Supreme Court stayed a Karnataka High Court order upholding an order quashing the appointment of **Prof K R Venugopal** as Vice-Chancellor of Bangalore University.

The High Court order on March 17 upheld the order of a single judge bench, that had effectively quashed the appointment of the professor as the V-C. The order stated that the appointment had been made by the governor without the concurrence of the state government. Following multiple petitions, the Supreme Court stayed the order on Monday.

The vacancy of the V-C's post in BU led to protests on the university campus, with functioning of the university coming to a standstill. Faculty and research student associations held protests, as salaries, promotions and approvals could not be done without a vice-chancellor.

The vacancy of over three weeks is the first ever in the history of the country, as no V-C posts have been vacant for over 10 days in Indian universities.

The issue came to the forefront when Dr Sangamesh Patil, a contender for the same post, filed a petition questioning Prof Venugopal's appointment. Following the Karnataka HC order of March 17, four special petitions questioning the order were filed with the Supreme Court by the professor, state government, governor and BU administration registrar.

READY TO SERVE

After 44 weeks of rigorous training at BSF-STC, 446 new recruits were inducted into the Border Security Force. The recruits take part in a passing out parade at the Parade Grounds in Bengaluru on Monday | ASHISHKRISHNA HP

3 MEMU train pairs to run from April 8 on B'luru-Tumakuru route

S. LALITHA @ Bengaluru

IN a big relief to government officials, garment workers and students commuting between Bengaluru and Tumakuru, three pairs of Mainline Electric Multiple Unit (MEMU) trains are set to run between the two cities from Friday (April 8). MEMUs will allow a quicker commute between the destinations as compared to regular trains. There was a demand for the trains from hundreds of people who travel almost daily between the two cities.

The electrification on this 64 route km (RKM) stretch was completed and commissioned on October 29, 2021. It is part of the Chikkabanavara-Hubballi electrification project.

"The daily MEMU between Bengaluru City and Tumakuru (06575/06576) is being introduced for the first time. We hope they will have good patronage," said Chief Public Relations Officer, South Western Railway, Aneesh Hegde. The train leaves Tumakuru at 11.15 am and arrives at KSR at 1.25 pm. It will depart from KSR at 1.50 pm and arrive at Tumakuru at 3.40 pm.

In addition, two existing eight-car Diesel Electric Multiple Unit trains between Yesvantpur and Tumakuru will be converted to 16-car MEMU. The timing of one of these trains (no. 06572) alone has been revised and it departs Tumakuru at 3.50 pm and arrives in Bengaluru City at 5.25 pm. Additionally, Arsikere-Bengaluru 8-car DEMU will be converted into a 17-coach passenger train.

Secretary of Tumakuru Commuters' Forum Karnam Ramesh said, "While a passenger train takes 85 minutes and a diesel train 80 minutes, the MEMU train takes only 70 minutes. This saving in time matters a lot to regular commuters," he said.

A member of Tumakuru Development Forum said, "It will be a boost to rural economy."

Ricky Kej bags second Grammy

AGENCIES

A Mumbai-born singer went to the US and made her career in music, while the other, born in the US, moved back to India, the country of his parents' birth. The 'crossover' stars Falguni Shah and Ricky Kej have now won their respective Grammy Awards.

At the 64th Annual Grammy Awards held on Sunday night in Las Vegas, Kej earned his second coveted gramophone trophy in the best new album category for 'Divine Tides', his collaboration with The Police drummer Stewart Copeland.

Shah, a New York-based Indian singer known by her stage name Falu, won her first Grammy Award for 'A Colorful World' in the best children's album category.

Kej, who is now based out of Bengaluru, won his first Grammy in 2015 in the best new age album category for 'Winds of Samsara'.

Meanwhile, Prime Minister Narendra Modi congratulated Kej for winning the Grammy and expressed his best wishes to him.

Modi tweeted, "Congratulations for this remarkable feat and best wishes for your future endeavours!"

Daily Starscope

PETER VIDAL

05th April : Gemini is my sign of the day. I've recently been studying the Mayan day names of the ancient Mexican calendar, and it seems to me that Gemini equates to the Mayan sign Ic, the Wind. This symbolises divine inspiration and the reconciliation of cosmic opposites.

ARIES (Mar 21 - Apr. 20)
Because today's conditions are so changeable, it is difficult to see whether your domestic and family affairs will reach a successful conclusion, or if they will require further effort. It's best, I'd say, to forget the big picture and press ahead with small details.

TAURUS (Apr. 21 - May 21)
One purpose of astrology is to anticipate, and so avoid approaching problems. When, over the next few days, arguments erupt over a failure to complete the most routine of chores, there is one simple solution: co-operate and compromise at every turn.

GEMINI (May 22 - June 21)
Rather than talk yet again about your complicated economic situation, it would be far better to focus on your deep-seated attitudes towards money. Why, you must ask, have you stuck so rigidly to old priorities? This is the question you have to answer before you can press ahead at home.

CANCER (June 22 - July 23)
That magical planet Mercury decrees that it's time to do some hard thinking – and, perhaps, to start to face up to some awkward decisions. It is perfectly acceptable to follow your intuition but you must also pay close attention to the facts; perhaps not the easiest of jobs.

LEO (July 24 - Aug. 23)
The balance is now tipping irrevocably towards secrecy in your emotional affairs. Rather than just going along with such impulses, why not ask yourself why you are so reluctant to communicate your feelings to others? The end result, as a matter of fact, could be to save some extra cash.

VIRGO (Aug. 24 - Sept. 23)
It may be that you have to wait until the end of the week before hearing the final outcome of family arrangements. This is not because anyone is being tardy, but because it takes the Moon a long time to enter the appropriate sector of your chart.

LIBRA (Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)
The Moon's intriguing relationships should keep you on your guard against unfair accusations or allegations. But please don't concern yourself unduly with anything said in the heat of the moment. Partners are just likely to be over-critical without any apparent reason.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)
Only another Scorpio will understand just how much you have been through this year. Yet, you must realise that the planets are often tough in order to be kind, and the personal challenges you have encountered have made you a wiser, warmer person.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 - Dec. 22)
You may still feel a little unnerved or unsettled, although I would honestly doubt whether you have anything substantial to worry about. Now is the moment to get your affairs back on an even keel. Or, at least, to start the process. Waste no time!

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23 - Jan. 20)
There are two types of planetary aspects affecting all Capricorns at the moment; long-term formations which are difficult to pin down to a specific time, and short-term fluctuations which produce sudden changes of mood or plan. It is the latter which predominate today.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)
Whatever else happens, you can be sure that you are in a generally favourable period: the upsetting impact of Mars in personal relationships is countered by the confidence-boosting alignments of Mercury and Jupiter. The best advice comes from younger friends: chill out!

PISCES (Feb. 20 - Mar 20)
By now you are thinking along totally new and original lines, and you should feel absolutely certain that things work out to your advantage. You must make sure that partners and colleagues understand your plans perfectly, otherwise you could miss out on their support.

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Evil: Test your number crunching skill with our unique puzzle

Fill in the grid with digits in such a manner that every row, every column and every 3X3 box accommodates the digits 1 to 9, without repeating any.

4				5	6		3	
		3				7	5	
	8				3			
		2			7			
7				2				6
			1			4		
			3				8	
	1	6				5		
	9		2	7				4

Solutions to Yesterday's puzzle

4	1	2	6	3	5	9	8	7
8	5	7	1	2	9	4	6	3
9	3	6	7	4	8	1	2	5
5	9	4	3	7	6	2	1	8
6	8	1	4	5	2	3	7	9
2	7	3	8	9	1	6	5	4
1	4	8	5	6	3	7	9	2
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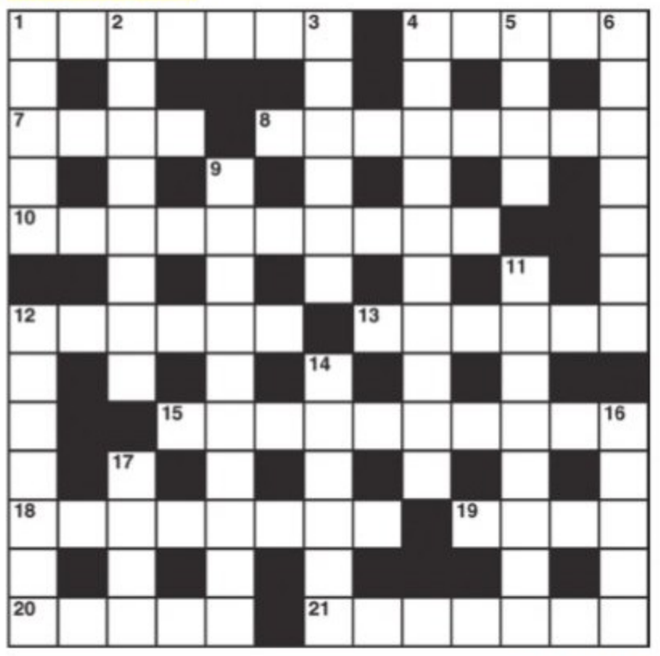
CROSS WORD



ACROSS
1 They're associated with seats (7)
4 It may be smoked out of its den (5)
7 Home from the East (4)
8 Theirs is a boring occupation (8)
10 I'd rather not express it more politely (2,5,3)
12 Sort of land found on the market (6)
13 Gardening suit? (6)
15 Expanding and becoming more communicative (7,3)
18 Legally only of minor importance (5,3)
19 Earn a note on the side (4)
20 Birds from another nest (5)
21 Not huge but shaped to become robust (7)

DOWN
1 Mother's taken on at the lodge (5)
2 Intervening period in Scrooge's life (8)
3 Knock everybody out (6)
4 A well-supplied busines organisation (3,7)
5 Aide contrived a plan (4)
6 Defeats teachers (7)
9 Versatile actor? (3,2,5)
11 Warn a pretty girl about a Scotsman (8)
12 Put income down or work it out electronically (7)
14 Dignified person makes a cocktail after dark (6)
16 Join in an animated tango (3,2)
17 A private study made of port (4)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTIONS

Across: 1 Periodicals, 9 Naively, 10 Aorta, 11 Oats, 12 Searches, 14 Stripe, 16 Matron, 18 Mistakes, 19 Grow, 22 Natal, 23 Tripoli, 24 Sandglasses.

Down: 2 Edict, 3 Item, 4 Dryden, 5 Chairman, 6 Lurcher, 7 Endorsement, 8 Passing whim, 13 Sprawled, 15 Rosetta, 17 Dental, 20 Rhone, 21 Bids.

JUMBLE By David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek

Unscramble these Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

SIPEO

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DERNOV

RPNIAS

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Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon

ANSWERS TOMORROW

YESTERDAY'S **Jumbles:**
HITCH SAUTE PRIMER SPIRAL
ANSWER: They raised money to repair their church because they didn't want to see their - PARISH PERISH

A special court here sentenced gangster Rajendra Shetty alias Bannanje Raja and seven others to life imprisonment under the Karnataka Control of Organised Crime Act (KCOCA) for killing a mining baron R N Nayak on December 21, 2013 in Ankola in Uttara Kannada district

TRACKING COVID-19

DURATION OF PANDEMIC
2 YEARS, 27 DAYS

CASES REPORTED
Today: **38** | Yesterday: **50**

TALLY
Today: **39,45,698**
Yesterday: **39,45,660**

DEATHS	DISCHARGES
Today: **1**	Today: **52**
Yesterday: **0**	Yesterday: **51**

ACTIVE CASES
Today: **1,500**
Yesterday: **1,515**

POSITIVITY RATE	MORTALITY RATE
Today: **6.01%**	Today: **1.01%**
Yesterday: **6.01%**	Yesterday: **1.01%**

RECOVERY RATE
Today: **98.94%**
Yesterday: **98.94%**

DISTRICT-WISE COVID CASES
LAST 24 HOURS

Bengaluru Urban	**36**
Bengaluru Rural	**0**
Bagalkot	0
Ballari	0
Belagavi	0
Bidar	0
Chamarajanagar	0
Chikkaballapur	0
Chikkamagaluru	0
Chitradurga	0
Dakshina Kannada	2
Davanagere	0
Dharwad	0
Gadag	0
Hassan	0
Haveri	0
Kalaburagi	0
Kodagu	0
Kolar	0
Koppal	0
Mandya	0
Mysuru	0
Raichur	0
Ramanagara	0
Shivamogga	0
Tumakuru	0
Udupi	0
Uttara Kannada	0
Vijayapura	0
Yadgir	0

Breathe easy! Mask rule may be relaxed soon

90% of people not wearing masks, govt not collecting fines: Minister

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

THE state government may soon relax the mask rule, hinted Health Minister Dr K Sudhakar here on Monday. Though there is no official order on relaxing the rule, 90 per cent of the people are not wearing masks and the government too is not collecting any fines, he added.

It is like an undeclared order, he said, but added quickly that he will discuss it with Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai and experts from the Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) before making any formal announcement.

TAC Chairman Dr Sudarshan MK recently told *The New Indian Express* that experts, after deliberations, felt that wearing of masks is the next best protection after vaccination and people should continue with it till WHO officially declares the end of Covid pandemic.

Dr Giridhara R Babu on Sunday tweeted, "Instead of consensus, ironic that the use of face masks has become a contentious issue."

A senior official from the revenue department said as there is no specific order under the Disaster Management Act, the government is not collecting fines for mask violations. "Other than orders on following hygiene and Covid-appropriate behaviour in public places, there is no mandate on collection of fines for not wearing masks," he added.

Survey finds that compliance is low

CHETANA BELAGERE
@ Bengaluru

AS states do away with mask mandates, a survey has found that nine in 10 Indians say that most residents in their areas don't wear masks, or don't wear them properly. In Karnataka, only 9 per cent of surveyed people say that 90 per cent of people comply with the rule of wearing masks.

The Karnataka government is yet to lift the mandate of compulsory wearing of masks, but a survey by Local Circles, a social media platform, found that despite people knowing that wearing of face masks is the second best prevention after vaccination for Covid-19, they do not follow the mask rule.

"67% citizens say there is limited or no mask compliance in their area, district or city. Also, in Karnataka, 51% of them have said that people have a mask but don't wear it properly," the survey stated.

Local Circles reached out to citizens across India via a survey, in the backdrop of Covid-19 cases increasing in many countries, and several states in India dropping the mask mandate. "The survey intended to understand where things stand currently, with regard to masking compliance as states remove the mask mandate," the release said.

Different kinds of masks were introduced in the recent past, though medical experts have suggested the use of N-95, KN-95 or W-95 masks for better protection.

MAJORITY WEARS CLOTH MASKS

The survey found that two of three people wear a cloth mask. In Karnataka, of the people who wore masks, 67 per cent wore cloth masks, and 16 per cent said they wore surgical masks. The survey showed that compliance is very low already, and the mandate of making it optional, as issued by all state governments, could lead to masking becoming an exception rather than the norm. "Many countries in Europe that removed masking norms in February are learning a difficult lesson now. India must take a lesson from their learnings and consider taking a cautious approach instead of an aggressive one," Local Circles opined.

SUMMER READY

With the temperature soaring in Bengaluru, potters across the city are seeing a jump in sales of earthen pots | SHRIRAM BN

Man flies into city from Guj to snatch chains to keep wife happy, arrested

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

A 26-year-old man, who allegedly came by flight to the city to commit chain-snatching to keep his wife happy, has been arrested by the CK Acchukattu police.

The accused has been identified as Umesh Khatik, who hails from Ahmedabad. The police said an unidentified bike-borne miscreant had snatched two gold chains from a woman on 100 Feet Ring Road on December 26 last year. The police gathered information about the accused and found that he had come from Ahmedabad to commit offences here.

"The CCB police in Ahmedabad were alerted about the accused and they arrested him and recovered stolen property in three cases. He was lodged at Sabarmati Central Prison, from where he was taken into custody on a body warrant. His interrogation led us to crack three cases reported in one each in CK Acchukattu, Mico Layout, and Malleswaram police stations," the police said, adding that booty worth Rs 4 lakh was recovered.

Further, the accused admitted during questioning that he took a flight to Bengaluru city to commit the offence. "He wanted to keep his wife and wanted to lead a luxury life," the police said.

EXPRESS READ

Former corporator's husband goes missing, blood stains in car point to kidnapping angle

Bengaluru: The husband of a former JDS corporator has gone missing from Nandagudi near Hoskote. The police said Lohit, husband of Aishwarya Nagaraj, who was the corporator of Binnypet BBMP ward, has gone missing since March 29. Lohit, who is developing a race track in Nandagudi, had reportedly gone to oversee the works. After that, he was supposed to return to Bengaluru. "The police found his car abandoned on the highway between Nandagudi and Hoskote. There were blood stains inside the car leading the police to suspect that Lohit could be kidnapped," police said. "Though it has been four days, Lohit has not contacted his family, who have not even received any ransom calls. We are probing the case from all angles," police added. **ENS**

Flyer from Dubai dies at city airport

Bengaluru: A 52-year-old flyer from Dubai died at the Kempegowda International Airport (KIA) on Monday morning. According to a source, he arrived by an Air India flight at 6 am and had reached the arrivals zone (Gate #13) at 6.45 am. "He suddenly lost consciousness and was rushed to the Aster Medical Centre in our campus where he was declared brought dead," the source added. He is a native of Kuvempu Nagar in Mysuru and had come to Bengaluru to attend the wedding of a relative. **ENS**

Canadian arrives at KIA sans docus, to be deported

Bengaluru: A Canadian woman who reached Bengaluru by Qatar Airways was held by immigration officials at the Kempegowda International Airport (KIA) on Monday morning for not having a proper Indian visa. She would now be deported back to her home country in the next available flight. According to a top airport source, Sophie Belanger arrived by Qatar Airways (QR 572) around 2.30 am on Monday. She had flown to Bengaluru from Doha. "During immigration checks for international arrivals, it was found out that she did not have the right kind of Indian visa. Hence, a decision to deport her has been taken. She is presently held by immigration officials inside the airport," the source said. Immigration officials could not be reached for their comment. **ENS**

Unable to bear hubby's harassment, beautician ends life

PRAVEEN KUMAR @ Bengaluru

A 33-year-old beautician hanged herself at her residence in the last week of March unable to bear with the alleged harassment by her husband whom she had married two months ago. According to the police, the accused is her second husband. The victim's first husband had died of jaundice two years ago.

The police have identified the deceased as Jaya, a resident of New Thippasandra, and the accused is Hariprasad, aged 32. Jaya was working as a beautician at a beauty parlour in Indiranagar. The accused is said to have kept reminding the victim of her late husband and repeatedly told her to die like him. "Our sister made a mistake by marrying Hariprasad. After she fell in love with him, we found out that he was unemployed and was an alcoholic. We advised Jaya to change her decision. But she convinced us of changing him", Keshav, the victim's brother told *TNIE*.

A fortnight after her wedding, Jaya is said to have called her family and lamented that she should not have married Hariprasad. The accused is alleged to have also started suspecting her fidelity. "In the early hours, the police called us and informed us about the death of our daughter. We do not know who informed the matter to the police. After the death of her first husband, she was in extreme pain. The accused added more to her troubled life. Unable to suffer more, she ended her life," Keshav added. The victim's 67-year-old mother Leelavathi has filed a complaint with the JB Nagar police. The police have arrested the accused. A case of abetment of suicide under Section 306 of the IPC has been registered against the accused.

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APPENDIX- IV-A" [See proviso to rule 8 (6)]
Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Properties

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/ charged to the Secured Creditor, the physical /constructive / Symbolic (whichever is applicable) possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Indian Bank, Sadashiv Nagar branch, Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** on 21.04.2022, for recovery of **Rs. 1,86,31,967.14/- (Rupees One Crore Eighty Six Lakhs Thirty One Thousand Nine Hundred Sixty Seven and Fourteen Paise Only)** (as on 31.03.2022) due to the Indian Bank, Sadashiv Nagar branch, Secured Creditor, from **1) Mr. K. Selvaraj, S/o. R. Kuppuswamy** R/o Flat No. T-2, 3rd floor, Ratan Mahal Apartment, 4th cross, Ratan Singh Layout, Kavalbyrasandra, Bengaluru-560032 and **2) Mrs. S. Malliga, W/o. K. Selvaraj (Guarantor),** Flat No. T-2, 3rd floor, Ratan Mahal Apartment, 4th cross, Ratan Singh Layout, Kavalbyrasandra, Bengaluru-560032.

The specific details of the property intended to be brought to sale through e-auction mode are enumerated below:

Detailed description of the Properties: 1) All that part and parcel of the property consisting of Site no.237, PID no. 97-1-237, 1st Main road, 1st Block, Matadahalli, R.T Nagar, Bengaluru 560032. Total Land Area comes to 131.15 Sq.m i.e.: 1411.73 Sqt.ft. **Bounded By:** North: Property No.214, South: Road, East: Property No.236, West: Property No.238.
2) All that part and parcel of the property consisting of Flat No.T-2, 3rd Floor, Ratan Mahal Apartment, Property in BBMP No.9, PID no. 95-116-9, (Formerly Site No. 51/1, Khaneshumari Khata No. 143/207 in converted Sy no. 33/2) Flat PID No. 95-116-9/13, 4th cross, Ratan Singh Layout, Kavalbyrasandra, Bengaluru 560032. Total Area comes to 117.05 Sq.m i.e.: 1260.00 Sqt.ft. **Bounded By:** North: Private Property, South: Private Property, East: 30' Feet road, West: Private Property.

Encumbrances on property	**NIL**
Reserve Price	**1) Rs.1,45,60,000/- (Rupees One Crore Forty Five Lakhs Sixty Thousand only)** **2) Rs.48,24,000/- (Rupees Forty Eight Lakhs Twenty Four Thousand only)**
EMD Amount	**1) Rs.14,60,000/- (Rupees Fourteen lakhs Sixty Thousand only)** **2) Rs.4,90,000/- (Rupees Four lakhs Ninety Thousand only)**
Bid incremental amount	**1) Rs.50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand only)** **2) Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand only)**
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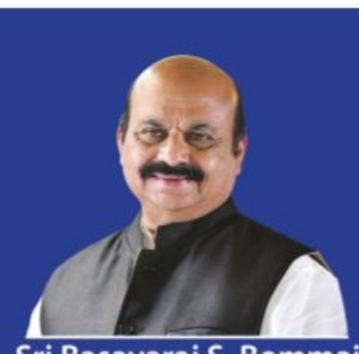

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Hon'ble Chief Minister

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Dr. Babu Jagjivan Ram
115th Birthday Celebration

Garlanding the statue of Dr. Babu Jagjivan Ram
Date: 05.04.2022 Tuesday, Time: 10:00 a.m. | Venue: West Entrance of Vidhana Soudha, Bengaluru

Conferring of Dr. Babu Jagjivan Ram Award and Public Function
Date: 05.04.2022 Tuesday, Time: 10:15 a.m. | Venue: Banquet Hall, Vidhana Soudha, Bengaluru

Inauguration | Sri Basavaraja S. Bommai, Hon'ble Chief Minister

August Presence | Sri Kota Srinivasa Poojary, Hon'ble Minister for Social Welfare and Backward Classes Welfare

Presided by | Sri Rizwan Arshad, Hon'ble MLA, Shivajinagar Assembly Constituency

Hon'ble Minister of Social Welfare & Backward Classes Welfare **Sri Kota Srinivasa Poojary** Participated in Department Programme.

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Sri Dayanand K.A., I.A.S., Commissioner, Social Welfare Department
Major P. Manivannan, I.A.S., Secretary to Govt., Social Welfare Department

To Protect and respect our varied culture and traditions" is the fundamental duty of every Citizen of the Country.

Deputy Leader of Opposition in the Assembly U T Khader said the state government's silence is the reason for escalating controversies surrounding religious issues such as halal-cut meat and loudspeakers. The government is enjoying the controversies, he said

KTR tweet triggers BJP-Congress spat

Telangana IT minister had invited startups complaining about poor infrastructure in B'luru to move to Hyderabad

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@ Bengaluru

TELANGANA IT Minister KT Rama Rao's invitation to startups complaining about poor infrastructure in Bengaluru to shift to Hyderabad, has triggered a spat between the Opposition Congress and ruling BJP over infrastructure in the state capital. While KPCC president DK Shivakumar said the Congress will be back in power after the assembly elections and will restore the glory of Bengaluru, the BJP hit back at Rama Rao and Shivakumar by stating, "In 2023, both of you friends can pack up and move to any place you like."

As the debate on Bengaluru's infrastructure, especially roads, continues to dominate social media, Shivakumar stated, "I accept your challenge. By the end of 2023, with Congress back in power in Karnataka, we will restore the glory of Bengaluru as India's best city." It was in response to Telangana IT Minister KT Rama Rao's invitation to startups to move to Hyderabad, which was first reported by *TNIE*.

This provoked the BJP Karnataka's official handle to tweet that the "double engine governments of BJP" will not only continue to restore glory to Karnataka but will also take on Telangana on the superhighway of progress and prosperity. IT-BT and Higher Education Minister Dr CN Ashwath Narayan questioned Shivakumar, "What is your adjustment with Telangana Government. Do not put State's honour in question for your political gimmicks."

It all started with Ravish Naresh, founder of a startup in Bengaluru, tweeting about bad roads, frequent power cuts, poor quality water supply and unusable footpaths at Koramangala. Offering him space, Rama Rao urged him to pack his bags and move to Hyderabad as their government provides better infrastructure. "We have better physical infrastructure and equally good social infrastructure. Our airport is one of the best and getting in and out of city is a breeze. More importantly our Government's focus is on 3i mantra: innovation, infrastructure and inclusive growth."

Later in the day, Ashwath Narayan said Karnataka competes globally, not with neighbouring states. "It is very much evident that Bengaluru's fame is not dependent only on its roads... Our focus is to collaborate and compete at a global level. Unfortunately, some States are piggybacking on our journey in the name of 'healthy competition'. We are on a marathon mission of building an AatmaNirbhar-Bharat," he tweeted.

His colleague Dr Sudhakar hit back too with at tweet, "Our competition is with the likes of Silicon Valley, Singapore, and Tel Aviv. We in Bangalore are proud hosts to people from multiple states and countries."

HARSHA MURDER

Motive was to create terror: NIA in chargesheet

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THE National Investigation Agency has stated that the motive of accused persons in the Harsha murder case "appears to be striking terror in society and creating communal disharmony by using lethal weapon", in the First Information Report (FIR) (RC-10/2022/NIA/DLI) against the 10 accused in Bajrang Dal activist Harsha Nagaraj's murder case.

Harsha was hacked to death on February 20 near Kamath Petrol Pump in Shivamogga. "The Central Government is of the opinion that a Scheduled Offence under the National Investigation Agency Act, 2008, has been committed, and having regard to the gravity of the offence and its ramifications on national security, it is required to be investigated by the National Investigation Agency in accordance with the National Investigation Agency Act," the Central counter-terrorism agency added.

The Shivamogga police arrested 10 accused – Rihan Sharief (A1), Mohd Khasif (A2), Asifullah Khan (A3), Abdul Afaan (A4), Nihal (A5), Abdul Khader Jilan (A6), Abdul Roshan (A7), Faraz Pasha (A8), Syed Nadeem (A9) and Jaffar Sadiq (A10). The latter is Jilan's father.

According to sources, A1 to A5 had attacked Harsha while A6 drove the vehicle in which the assassins were travelling; A7 had helped in getting the weapons and A8 had tracked Harsha that fatal evening, when he was brutally hacked to death near Kamath Petrol Pump on NT Road in Shivamogga.

Harsha's murder was a "well-planned and orchestrated attack" by the accused, who had long wanted to net him, said sources.

CM's Delhi visit triggers cabinet rejig talks

DEVARAJ B HIREHALLI
@ Bengaluru

AS Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai is leaving for New Delhi on a two-day visit on Tuesday afternoon to meet Union ministers to discuss his state budget, speculation is rife that he could get the approval to expand or reshuffle his cabinet if he gets an appointment with Union Home Minister Amit Shah.

Already, some aspirants, including CM's political secretary MP Renukacharya, have reached Delhi. Former chief minister Jagadish Shettar and Textiles and Sugar Minister Shankar Patil Munenakoppa, a Panchamasali-Lingayat leader, are already in the national capital, sources said. Another Panchamasali leader and Industries Minister Murugesh Nirani too is likely to visit Delhi. Already, Dharwad South MLA Aravind Bellad had called on Shah in Delhi, ahead of the latter's visit to Karnataka.

The cabinet has four vacant berths, and Bommai may drop four ministers to induct eight new faces as the Assembly polls are approaching fast, the sources said. "Since he has to focus on implementing his budget, he has to decide on his cabinet expansion or reshuffle now or it will never happen," a leader said.

Some seniors, including those who migrated from Congress and JDS to help BS Yediyurappa form the government, have offered to resign with the condition that they should be accommodated if the party comes back to power and they be allowed a full five-year term, another source said.

On Tuesday evening, Bommai is scheduled to meet Jal Shakti Minister Gajendra Singh Shekhawat and discuss the Mekedatu project. He is likely to call on Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman and discuss the extension of GST compensation beyond June 2022. He is expected to meet Parliamentary Affairs Minister Pralhad Joshi.

Bommai gets update on projects

Ahead of his visit to New Delhi, Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai held a series of meetings with officials from the Water Resources Department to review implementation of various projects. Bommai will meet Union Jal Shakti Minister Gajendra singh Shekawat on Tuesday evening in Delhi to discuss the Mekedatu project for environmental clearance. Sources from the CM's office said Bommai discussed various issues related to Mekedatu, including the legal complication, with officials.

HDK slams BJP, but Muslim trust deficit an issue

BANSY KALAPPA @Bengaluru

WADING into the controversy of loudspeakers in mosques, JDS leader HD Kumaraswamy lashed out at the BJP government for raising communal issues. "There were no problems with loudspeakers for 75 years, so where is the problem now? I am standing up against the BJP only to protect the people. Not to please anyone. The BJP and right-wing organisations are destroying society. They are setting the streets on fire. In spite of all this, what is the government doing? You have allowed dangerous forces to move around. Where has your strength gone now?" he said on Monday.

Kumaraswamy raising these issues against the BJP after indirectly supporting the saffron party on many issues, and even getting his party MLC elected as Upper House chairman, has surprised many.

Asked if Kumaraswamy is sensing an opportunity to move into the secular space, which is largely a domain of the Congress, political analyst B S Murthy said, "Kumaraswamy thinks that minorities feel the Congress countering the BJP has not been effective. He is an instinctive politician; he sees an opening and has moved in. I am not surprised to see he's got a good response. He is trying to set a narrative to counter Hindutva."

Recently, the JDS openly "poached" C M Ibrahim, and sources say this is the JDS' massive secular push. The party fielded two Muslim candidates in the last bypolls, but experts say that trust is important.

"Do Muslims trust him? Considering that Kumaraswamy's party had polled less than 1 per cent of Muslim votes in the last election, is the party working hard to regain the Muslim vote?" Murthy said. "Upper House chairman Basavaraj Horatti, who is leaving the JDS to join the BJP, had said Kumaraswamy agreed to him moving to BJP. This makes it appear like a consensual move. These moves may not help the JDS establish credibility, because JDS has always played the opportunistic ally to both BJP and Congress," he said.

BJP using JDS to split minority votes: Cong

K SHIVA KUMAR @ Mysuru

WITH JDS leader HD Kumaraswamy escalating the attack on the BJP in the past couple of days, the Congress has accused the BJP of "giving JDS the supari to divide the Muslim votebank". The BJP is spreading hatred by raising the issues, and covering up its failure on all fronts, KPCC spokesperson **M Lakshmana** told reporters on Monday. He said that Kumaraswamy's intensified attack gives room for suspicion as he has now "developed love and concern for Muslims".

The JDS, that fielded minority candidates in Sindhagi and Hangal bypolls to divide the Muslim vote, disappeared after the candidates lost their deposits. But former CM Kumaraswamy has launched an attack on the RSS, Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai and others, with the sole agenda of dividing the Muslim votebank.

Lakshmana said that secular forces should be cautious about the BJP's designs to create unrest with the hijab and temple fair business controversies. He came down on BJP frontal organisations and Hindu outfits for asking people not to purchase halal meat, to take advantage of it during elections. The halal cut issue has hit exports to Muslim countries, dropping from $195.72 billion to $172 billion. "Export of beef was 12 lakh tonnes in 2014, and increased to 25 lakh tonnes. Why didn't C T Ravi stop the export of halal cut beef," he asked. He dared the BJP to ban the supply of halal meat.

He said Union Home Minister Amit Shah has directed BJP leaders men to play up emotional issues so there is bloodshed, and it can blame the Congress. Lakshmana said the BJP has divided leaders into A, B and C categories, with the agenda to play up emotional issues and take them to extremes, to bring BJP to power in Karnataka.

EXPRESS INTERVIEW

Bhaskar Rao with Aam Aadmi Party chief Arvind Kejriwal in New Delhi on Monday

AAP WILL UNIFY PEOPLE, NOT DIVIDE THEM: BHASKAR RAO

RAMU PATIL @Bengaluru

FORMER Bengaluru City Police Commissioner Bhaskar Rao on Monday joined the Aam Aadmi Party (AAP) in New Delhi. After serving as an IPS officer for 32 years, Rao took Voluntary Retirement Scheme to jump into politics. He is well aware of the steep learning curve, but he is confident in delivering what the party expects from him. His immediate priority will be to take up a membership drive and travel across the state to strengthen the organization. Excerpts.

Do you think AAP has a chance in the state?
Anybody with commitment can make an impact on the people. Earlier people had no choice, but now they have one more party with a track record of clean administration, development and progress. I am sure people will give us a chance as they have already given chance to all those parties more than once and there is no change. Only those people have bettered themselves and not done as much as the governments. People should participate in the process of democracy as things are changing, participatory governance is the only way to better our lives.

Why did you decide to join AAP?
I have seen all political parties and their activities and know what they can do and what they cannot do. Among all of them, I have found AAP close to people's welfare. In other parties, it is only sloganeering and personal growth, but AAP is responsible for people's growth. There has been a perceptible change in the people's standard of living and that is the reason I decided to continue my public service with AAP.

Did you take that decision after AAP won elections in Punjab?
No. I took this decision over four-and-half years ago. (Delhi Chief Minister) Arvind Kejriwal is a good friend of mine and had invited me to join the party, but he had also asked me to first finish any other important tenures in my career. One of the important tenures that I had was Commissioner of Bengaluru City Police. I had decided to join the party long back.

Will you be contesting the assembly polls?
I have joined the party today and it will be premature for me to declare it so early. Definitely, AAP will go to elections in a very big way and we will contest from all 224 assembly constituencies with good people.

Since you have served as Bengaluru City Police Commissioner and know the city well, will Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) polls be your main priority now?
I don't think the state government has any inclination to conduct the BBMP elections. The elections are already been overdue.

What will be your role in the party?
We will do our best to strengthen the party in the state. I am new to this field and I think my learning curve will be very steep. I hope I will be able to deliver whatever the party asks of me.

What are your immediate priorities?
My immediate priority is to travel all over the state, carry out a huge membership drive and strengthen the organisation.

Your views on communal issues that are coming to the fore in the state now?
If there is nothing else to talk about, you start dividing people and distracting their attention. We don't want to divide people; we want to unify people. I personally don't want to talk about religion and caste on public platforms.

Gita lessons from this yr? Logistics a challenge

DONNA EVA @Bengaluru

WITH Primary and Secondary Education Minister B C Nagesh hinting that lessons from the Bhagwad Gita and Panchatantra will be implemented in textbooks soon, concerns have been raised on what the logistics behind it will be.

With less than two months left for the new academic year to start, the logistics of the decision come to the forefront. "Currently, textbooks are already outdated, with the books not sent to us even after payment," Shashi Kumar, general secretary of the Karnataka Associated Managements of Schools (KAMS) told TNIE.

He said private schools had been facing trouble procuring textbooks due to delays, with the syllabus for many not revised for a decade. "They haven't bothered revising textbooks in accordance with the National Curriculum Framework (NCF) and the National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT). It does not seem like they are doing this in order to preserve the quality of education. Even then, the implementation should be a recommendation and not imposed on private schools," he said.

Education Minister B C Nagesh in Bengaluru on Monday | NAGARAJA GADEKAL

Similarly, government schools have also faced drawbacks in the procurement of textbooks. Rohith Chakrathirtha, head of textbook review committee, said the decision to implement moral sciences will not be up to the committee.

BENCH HUNTING

Evolve method to stop multiple bail pleas: HC

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OBSERVING that acts of Bench hunting/hopping/avoiding are on the rise, the Karnataka High Court on Monday directed the registry and district courts across the state to devise a mechanism using modern technology to curb the practice of playing fraud on the court and to verify every application filed for regular or anticipatory bail to find out if similar petitions for bail have been made before other courts.

Justice HP Sandesh directed the registry to make an effort to identify the number of petitions being filed and to make it clear that only the first petition is maintainable and not the subsequent ones. The judge also issued several directions, while rejecting an anticipatory bail petition filed by Nanjappa, a resident of Sadahalli, with a cost of Rs 1 lakh for trying to get bail by hook or crook and polluting the stream of justice.

The court directed the Director of the Prosecution to instruct all public prosecutors that they are duty bound to supply necessary information to the concerned court on pendency or the decision of the earlier bail application in the same offence after taking details from investigating officers (IO).

The registry and district courts are directed to insist on vakalat when a bail petition is filed seeking an anticipatory bail. The DGP has to immediately change the IO who has not taken any steps when the serious offence of impersonation, fraud and forgery is alleged, the court ordered.

To curb the kind of fraud committed by the accused and to identify the black sheep, the court directed the Registrar General to file a complaint before the Vidhana Soudha police to investigate whether Nanjappa instructed respective advocates to file bail pleas in Tumakuru and Mysuru and submit a repot within three months.

"If such persons are allowed to continue this type of practice of committing fraud on the court, the same will disrepute the institution and hence, the matter has to be investigated and it is high time to initiate appropriate action to curb the unethical practice," the court observed.

What prompted HC to issue directions?
Nanjappa has been booked by the Chikkajala police for allegedly impersonating the original land owner by creating two fictitious persons to make wrongful gain of 2 acres 30 guntas of land at Navarathna Agrahara in Yelahanka taluk by collecting Rs 2 crore from the prospective buyer, out of the total sale consideration of Rs 5.83 crore. First, he filed an anticipatory bail plea before a trial court in Devanahalli which was rejected on December 12, 2021. Later, he moved the high court suppressing the fact of rejection. Meanwhile, he also filed similar pleas before trial courts in Mysuru and Tumakuru in January 2022.

When the matter was heard and order was reserved by the Mysuru court, he withdrew the petition before the Tumakuru court. But the Mysuru court denied bail in February 2022. Thereafter, he filed the present bail petition before the high court without disclosing the details of earlier petitions which were filed with fake addresses in Mysuru and Tumakuru.

Stop loudspeakers, but not by force, says Eshwarappa

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RURAL Development and Panchayat Raj Minister K S Eshwarappa, who is known for making sensational comments, on Monday surprised everyone by singing a tune of communal harmony.

Speaking to reporters after the inauguration of a water project here, he said use of loud speakers by mosques should be stopped, but by taking into confidence the Muslim community and not by force.

"The Sri Ram Sena, like the Maharastra Navnirman Sena, has called upon people to chant Hanuman Chalisa through loudspeakers whenever there are calls for Azaan. But this is wrong to do so. We need to take the Muslim community into confidence," he said.

"Today or tomorrow the church might draw out such similar plans. This will lead to conflict among the religions," he added.

A day after a DMK functionary was hacked to death at the Broadway bus stand in Chennai, five persons including an AIADMK functionary surrendered before a magistrate at Chengalpattu court on Monday. They are S Ganesh, his son Dineshkumar, A Inbam, Fruiti alias Karthik Ganapathy and A Kumaresan, all hailing from Vyasarpadi.

Sun Pharma gets Centre's nod to expand ops in bird sanctuary

Application for wildlife clearance before National Board for Wildlife still pending

SV KRISHNA CHAITANYA @Chennai

THE Union environment ministry has granted environmental clearance (EC) to Sun Pharmaceutical Industries Limited to expand its production capacity manifolds within the existing plant, located inside Vedanthangal Bird Sanctuary in Chengalpattu district.

On July 3, 1998, Tamil Nadu had declared all places within the a 5-km radius from the Vedanthangal wetland as a bird sanctuary.

Sun Pharma was permitted to continue operations since it was established before 1998. However, in May 2020, the company applied for environmental clearance to expand its Active Pharmaceutical Ingredients (APIs) manufacturing unit's production capacity from 25.5 TPM to 134.082 TPM.

Its application before the National Board for Wildlife (NBWL) for wildlife clearance is still pending. Now, the Centre's EC has raised eyebrows.

In fact, in July 2020, the ministry had written to Chief Secretaries of all states detailing procedure for consideration of development projects located within 10 km of national parks and wildlife sanctuaries. "The letter clearly says to get EC prior clearance from Standing Committee of NBWL is required. In Sun Pharma case, the scenario is much worse. The industry is located inside the core bird sanctuary area. The company has falsely claimed before Expert Appraisal Committee (EAC) of the ministry that the unit is located 3.72 km from the Vendanthangal bird sanctuary," said Stanley Hebzon Singh, an advocate at the southern bench of National Green Tribunal where a petition pertaining to alleged pollution by Sun Pharma inside the bird sanctuary is pending.

The EC document, a copy of which is available with TNIE, records the fact that Sun Pharma, which reported that the unit is located 3.72 km (west) from the bird sanctuary, which is factually incorrect. Ritwick Dutta, leading environmental advocate in Supreme Court, told TNIE neither EAC or NBWL can accrue fresh rights to a industry if it falls within the boundary of a sanctuary.

"No expansion can be permitted by law. We will be shortly challenging the EC before the green tribunal," Dutta said. Neha Sinha, conservation biologist and an author working with Bombay Natural History Society on environmental policy, said: "Sun Pharma proposal is detrimental to the well-being of the bird sanctuary."

Sources in the TN government said it was not consulted either by EAC or NBWL on the Sun Pharma proposal.

PRICES ON FIRE

Members of Marumalarchi Dravida Munnetra Kazhagam protest against hike in prices of petroleum products, at Valluvar Kottam in Chennai on Monday | NEHA THOMAS

Kerala showers to continue for 4 days

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@T'Puram

Thunderstorms are likely to continue in several parts of Kerala for four more days, the India Meteorological Department said on Monday. According to the preliminary forecast, the state is likely to get rain even after April 8, if the weather formation over the South Andaman sea strengthens into a low-pressure one. The Met department has advised fishermen not to venture into the sea from April 6 to 8.

The sky will remain partly cloudy in Thiruvananthapuram on Tuesday with the possibility of moderate rain or thunderstorms.

On Monday, rain, accompanied by heavy wind, brought down the day temperature. Palakkad recorded the maximum temperature of 37°C. While Thiruvananthapuram and Kollam received heavy rain in the evening, Ernakulam, Thrissur and Idukki received rain later in the night.

In Thiruvananthapuram, the afternoon downpour, accompanied by 40-km-per-hour wind, saw trees being uprooted and hoardings displaced. It also caused power failure, traffic chaos, and damage to houses and vehicles at several locations. As a precautionary measure, two shutters of the Aruvikkara dam were raised by 20cm each. In the capital city alone, over 80 incidents were reported of trees being uprooted. A tree fell on the Cliff House compound, too, near the official residences of Food and Civil Supplies Minister GR Anil and SC/ST Welfare Minister K Radhakrishnan. IMD forecast says the onset of the southwest monsoon is expected only by the end of next month or first week of June.

Loan amount of attached home paid, claims CITU

ARUN M @Kochi

A DAY after Muvattupuzha MLA **Mathew Kuzhalnadan** and his party workers broke open a house attached by the co-operative bank due to default, the CITU has claimed that they have repaid the loan within hours of the MLA submitting a letter offering to clear the loan.

Kuzhalnadan on Sunday said that he would repay the default amount. However, CITU, which controlled the bank, went ahead and claimed that the amount has been paid.

In an obvious damage control mode after the party and bank invited the wrath of the public on social media platforms, the Co-operative Employees Union affiliated to CITU decided to pay the default amount. Gopi Kottamurickal, CPM state committee member and president of Muvattupuzha Urban Co-operative Bank, informed this in a Facebook post on Monday noon. "The complete loan arrears of Ajesh in the Pezhakkappilly branch of Muvattupuzha Urban Co-operative Bank was paid by employees of the bank who are members of the Co-operative Employees Union (CITU)," the post read.

Earlier, Kuzhalnadan handed over a letter to the CEO of the bank at its head office on Monday morning, expressing his willingness to take over the arrears of Ajesh Kumar VA, against whom attachment proceedings have been initiated. The MLA also requested the bank authorities to inform the amount including the principal, interest and penal charges.

Ajesh has rejected the offer extended by CITU. "It was the MLA who took initiative to settle the loan amount. Hence, I am not interested to take help from these persons. I have not received any communication from the bank authorities on the settlement of the loan so far. They called me only to inform about the attachment," Ajesh told TNIE.

HC seeks state's response on delay in reaching 112

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

ACTING on a PIL filed by a resident of Nagadevanahalli in the city, the Karnataka HC on Monday sought a response from the state government on delay in reaching 112, a designated National Emergency Number, due to 'flawed' Interactive Voice Response System (IVRS). A division bench of Chief Justice Ritu Raj Awasthi and Justice S R Krishna Kumar adjourned the hearing to April 11, 2022. Explaining the difficulties he faced when he tried to reach 112 over blackmailing by an unknown person through WhatsApp call and chat, the petitioner, NT Arunkumar, who argued on his own, stated it is difficult to reach 112 if any person is in distress.

Cops to chargesheet woman for killing 5, including 4 kids

BALA CHAUHAN @Bengaluru

THE Mandya police will soon submit a chargesheet against Lakshmi (32) for allegedly killing four children and a 30-year-old woman, also Lakshmi, in Krishna Raja Sagar (KRS) area of Mandya district on February 5.

The police are awaiting the forensic report for submission of chargesheet, said informed sources. The accused, a Mysuru resident, is a cousin of the murdered woman and the paramour of the latter's husband Gangaram, who is a trader in garments and plastic goods. "Gangaram had reportedly told her that he wanted to have a peaceful family life and had asked her to stay away. The accused had long held a grudge against Lakshmi and had planned to murder her. The former is married and has two children," sources added.

"Lakshmi had planned to murder Gangaram's wife and she left her children with her neighbour. She borrowed a machete from a poultry shop in Mysuru and went to Gangaram's house in KRS. She dined with the family. Before going to sleep, the accused and victim Lakshmi had an argument on the former's interference in her family. When they went to sleep, the accused got up and reportedly fatally hit Lakshmi with the machete. At this time, Gangaram's nephew Govinda (13) got up and saw the murder. Lakshmi allegedly killed him with the machete and the other three children — Komala (8), Raj (10) and Kunal (5), who had also woken up subsequently, to erase evidence. She took the machete to Mysuru, washed it and returned it to the poultry. She then returned to Gangaram's house and pretended to grieve at the murders," said sources.

The special team probing the case inquired about Gangaram who arrived at KRS village upon receiving information about the deaths. Based on the clues given by him, CCTV footage and evidence, Lakshmi was arrested on February 7. "Upon interrogation, she confessed to the murders and reportedly told the police that she had planned to kill Gangaram's wife after he told her to stay away, and had purportedly turned down her request for marriage. She killed the children to avoid identification," said sources. Lakshmi was arrested for murder and destruction of evidence.

LOSS OF DOCUMENTS

NOTICE is hereby given that the Original documents of Sale Deed and other Documents of Site No.61 of Assessment No.11/3, PID No. 150200201900820014, Gantiganahalli Grama Panchayath Khata No.390/61, registered on 12/06/2014 in Yelahanka Sub-Registrar Office in document No. YAN-1-02173-2014-15, CD No. YAND551 & document No. YAN-1- 01608-2012-13 in CD No. YAND410 registered 08.06.2012 was lost/missing in between 15/02/2022 time 12.00 AM to 16/02/2022 time 03.50 PM at Jakkur Layout, Bangalore. FIR No. 0193023/2022 Documents in the name of Saroja W/o Ramesh, If any one found this documents please contact nearest police station or **Contact: Saroja : 90082 66594**
TP Seshidara, Advocate, 9844319130

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client intends to purchase the Property bearing New Municipal No.42 (Old No.8), Old PID No.86-75-42, BBMP New Ward No.59-Maruthi Sevanagar (BBMP Old Ward No.86-Maruthi Sevanagar), situated at Heerachand Layout, Jeevanahalli, Cox Town, Civil Statoin, Bengaluru, measuring East to West 9.372619 and North to South 16.443993, in all measuring 154.1167867 Square metres, from **P. M. RAJEEV KRISHNA** S/o Late P. Balaram and Others.

Anybody having any right, title, interest or share in the schedule property shall notify the same to the undersigned with documentary evidence, within seven days from the date of publication of this notice, failing which my client will be advised to proceed with the transaction of purchase, as if no valid claims are subsisting against the schedule property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece & parcel of the Property bearing New Municipal No.42 (Old No.8), Old PID No.86-75-42, BBMP New Ward No.59-Maruthi Sevanagar (BBMP Old Ward No.86-Maruthi Sevanagar), situated at Heerachand Layout, Jeevanahalli, Cox Town, Civil Station, Bengaluru, measuring East to West 9.372619 and North to South 16.443993, in all measuring 154.1167867 Square metres, and bounded as follows:-

East by : Jeevanahalli Main Road,
West by : Portion of Plot No.9, of the said Layout,
North by : Proposed New Road,
South by : Remaining Half Portion of the said Plot No.8.

K. SURYAPRAKASH RAO, ADVOCATE,
Chakravarthy Complex, Sajjanrao Circle,
V.V. Puram, Bengaluru-560 004.
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Bengaluru Dated: 04-04-2022

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are hereby informed that my clients have agreed to purchase Schedule Property from **Mr. Bishnusen Nayak,** who has represented that he is the absolute owner in possession and that Schedule Property is free from any encumbrance/s, charge/s, claim/s, demand/s or litigation/s.

Person/s claiming any right, title or interest in or upon the Schedule Property and / or having any objection to the sale transaction, may lodge their objection/s supported by documents with the undersigned within **Fifteen (15) days** from publication of this notice. If no objection/s is/are received within said period, my clients will go ahead with the transaction deeming that there is / are no claim/s or objection/s.

SCHEDULE

Flat Nos.101 & 201 on 1st & 2nd floors with Two Car Parks in building being constructed on Site bearing BDA No.30 in Layout formed by Shanthinagar House Building Co Operative Society Ltd., measuring 2,400 Sq. feet, in Sy.No.12 of **Srinivagilu, Amanikere Village, Begur Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk** and bounded on:
East : Site No.29
West : Site No.31
North : Site Nos.25 and 26
South : Road
together with 436 sqft undivided share in the said land.

Smita Singh, Advocate,
827, 12th Main, IV Block,
HBR Layout, Bengaluru - 560 043,
Email: smitasinghadvocate@gmail.com
Place : Bangalore Date : 05.04.2022

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client proposes to purchase the below mentioned immovable property which is more fully described in the schedule hereunder, from its lawful owner and kathedar **Mr. Shuiab Ahmed, aged about 43 years, son of Mr. H.K.Nazeer Ahmed, residing at No.54, New No.515, Ist cross, 3rd Main, Old Madras Road, Vijinapura, Bangalore - 560016.**

The above named owner has represented that he is the sole and absolute owner of the schedule property, having a clear and marketable title and unrestricted rights of alienation over the same and the schedule property is free from all kinds of encumbrances charges, liens, mortgages, litigations, and /or any third party rights/claims of any nature whatsoever,

Notice is hereby given to the general public that all persons including individuals Banks, Financials institutions etc., having or asserting any benefits, objections, demands, claims, share, right, title and /or interest in respect of the schedule property may lodge their objections and /or claims with the undersigned along with supporting documentary evidence **within (10) Ten days** from the date of this publication, and objections and/or claims received thereafter will not be binding on my client, and my client will proceed to purchase the schedule property as if there are no claimants/ objections.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All That piece and parcel of immovable property being BDA Site No.257, formed by the Bangalore Development Authority (BDA), in 18th Block, Arakavathi layout formed in Survey No.23, Byrathikhane Grama, Bangalore, Measuring East to West 6.00 Mtrs., and North to South 9.00 Mtrs., in total measuring 54.00 Sq.Mtrs., and bounded as followed: **East by** : Site No.258, **West by :** Site No.256, **North by :** Road, **South by :** Site No.285. together with all rights, appurtenances whatsoever whether underneath or above the surface.

SHASHIKANTH DESAI, Document Writer
No.20, ground floor, BDA Complex, Domlur,
Bangalore - 560071

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER, KALAHANDI RWS&S DIVISON, BHAWANIPATNA.
e-mail: eerwsskld@gmail.com, eerwss_kld@nic.in, Phone No: 06670-230784
INVITATION OF BID THROUGH e - TENDERING
Bid Identification No- 01/SE/RWSS/ 2022-23 /Bpt Dated.02.04.2022
O-04 **01.Name of the work :- As per ANNEXURE - A**

Procurement Officer	Bid Identification No	Availability of tender online for bidding on office hour only. From	To	Date of opening (Technical Bid)
1	2	3	4	5
Superintending Engineer, Kalahandi RWS&S Division, Bhawanipatna	01/SE/ RWSS/2022-23 /Bpt Dated-02.04.2022	16.04.2022 10.00 AM	06.05.2022 05.30 PM	07.05.2022 10.00 AM onwards

Cost of tender paper to be made online payment system.
Further details can be seen from the e-procurement portal http://tenderodisha.gov.in.
The original documents should be scanned and uploaded.
Sd/- Superintending Engineer, Kalahandi RWS&S Division, Bhawanipatna OIPR-25005/11/0001/2223

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INVITATION FOR BIDS
E-mail-eerwss_rai@nic.in, eerwss.rai@gmail.com
e-PROCUREMENT NOTICE
IDENTIFICATION No. 85 RWSS/RRPUR- 2021-2022/ Dated 29.03.2022

O-02: The Superintending Engineer, RWSS Division, Rairangpur on behalf of Governor of Odisha, invites percentage rate bids to be received in online mode for the following works from the eligible experienced contractors in similar nature of work, registered with State Govt. & contractor of equivalent Grade/class registered with Central Govt. / Railways.

1. Nature of work : - a) Execution of clubbed up PWS schemes to different villages of Karanjia, Bisoi & Jamda Block under RWS&S Division Rairangpur in the District of Mayurbhanj.
2. No. of packages : - **3(Three) nos.**
3. Period of Completion :- 6(Six) months & 11(Eleven) months
4. Cost of tender : - **₹10000.00**
5. Estimated cost : - **₹128.42 lakhs to ₹328.59 lakhs**
6. Class of Contractor : - (As mentioned in Tender Call Notice)
7. Date and time of availability of bid documents in Portal : - **From 10 hours of 12.04.2022 to 17.00 to hours of 02.05.2022**
8. Receipt of bid cost, bid security documents **: - Online only**
9. Date & time of opening of technical bid : - Dt. 04.05.2022 at 16.00 hours onwards.
10. Other Documents : - **(As mentioned in DTCN)**
11. The bidders have to participate in on-line bidding only. Further details can be seen from the website **https://www.tendersodisha.gov.in.**
12. Any addendum / Corrigendum / Cancellation of tender can also be seen in the said website.

Sd/-Superintending Engineer, RWSS Division, Rairangpur OIPR-25010/11/0001/2223

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Providing, Supplying and installation of Lap-top, Projector with screen, All in One Computer (A.I.O) and 2K.V Capacity UPS (with Batteries) to 08 Govt. Schools in Bidar District.

1) Short Term Tender and reference No.: DDPI/DPO/SSK/E-PROC/E-TENDER/ICT DI/E/2021 Date: 31-03-2022, 2) Last Date for filing tender date and time: Date: **09-04-2022, at 17.30** 3) Opening of Technical Bid and Time : **Date: 12-04-2022 11:30 A.M,** 4) Opening of financial Bid and Timing Tentative, 5) Tender Value / Contract value : Value Rs. 51,20,000/- (Rupees Fifty One Lakhs Twenty Thousand only), 6) E.M.D Payable : Date 1,28,000/- (Rupees One Lakh Twenty Eight Thousand only), 7) Tender accepting Authority : DDPI & Ex-Officio, District Project Co-coordinator, Samagra Shiksha Karnataka, Bidar, has the right to accept or reject the tender. 8) Address for correspondence : Sri, Babu Phatrusab, DYPC., SSK-Bidar, Mob: 9448999388, Office Land line : 08482-233136.

Sd/- DDPI & Ex-Officio, District Project
DIPR/Bidar/01/MC&A/2022-23 **Co-ordinator, Samagra Shiksha Karnataka, Bidar.**

PUBLIC NOTICE

It is brought to the notice of the General Public that my client **Sri. BASAVA PRABHU,** Son of Late Sri.Nangappa, executed by Smt.Hanumakka W/o Sri.Thippagappa has irretrievably lost/misplaced the registered Sale deed dated 24/06/1946, registered as document No.2814/1946, Book-I, registered before the office of the Sub-Registrar, Bangalore South Taluk, in respect of all that piece and parcel of the Undeveloped Property bearing Khata No.614, Sy.No.71/2, measuring in all 34 Guntas situated at Bommenahalli Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, presently Bangalore East Taluk.

The said property is absolutely free from all sorts of encumbrances; in this regard a complaint has also been lodged before the jurisdictional Police Station at Avalahalli, Bangalore.

Any other Persons having any claim, charge, interest, right over the said property may lodge their objections/claims with documentary evidence **within 7 days** from this day to the undersigned. The finder of the aforesaid original sale deed is requested to hand it over to the aforesaid owner.

SNR ASSOCIATES, Advocates,
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REF. NO : 3192/Proj.3/2022 **Tender Notice** DATED : 04.04.2022

The TCMPF Ltd., invites TWO PART TENDERS by way of OFF LINE / E-SUBMISSION from the reputed Contractors / Manufactures / suppliers for following Equipment's / Machinery and Civil Works for Metro Dairies and Various DCMPU Ltd.,

S.No.	Name of the Items / Works	Pre-bid Meeting	Tender Submission	Technical Bid Opening
1.0	**Machinery Works**			
1.1	(I) 50 TLPD DairyPlant at Thoothukudi, (ii) 6 TLPD Ice Cream Plant and 10 TLPD Fermented Products Plant at Trichy, (iii) 7 LLPD Processing Plant and 30 MT Powder Plant at Salem, (iv) Curd and Butter Milk Manufacturing Plant at Kakkalur (v) Membrane Filtration Unit for Milk 5 KLPH - 3 Nos. for Sholinganallur, Ambattur and Trichy and 2 KLPH - 1 No. for Coimbatore	20.04.2022 at 11.30 AM	12.05.2022 Upto 02.00 PM	12.05.2022 at 2.15 PM
1.2	(I) 1010 KVA DG Set and 22 KV/433 V HT Electrical Sub Station and (ii) 8 Ton Boiler at Salem			
1.3	Packaging Machine for Payasam Mix and Noodles Masala, Cloud Based BMC Monitoring System on Rental Basis for 3 Years, 30 KL and 15 KL Milk Silo	20.04.2022 at 11.30 AM	27.04.2022 Upto 02.00 PM	27.04.2022 at 2.15 PM
2.0	**Civil Works**			
2.1	(I) 7 LLPD Dairy Plant at Salem (ii) 30 MTPD Powder Plant at Salem (iii) 50 TLPD Dairy Plant at Thoothukudi (iv) 10 TLPD Ice Cream and Dairy Plant at Trichy	21.04.2022 at 3.00 PM	11.05.2022 Upto 3.00 PM	11.05.2022 at 3.30 PM
2.2	Construction of Administrative Building at Dharmapuri and Tiruvannamalai, E.B. Substation Building at Ambattur.	–	28.04.2022 Upto 3.00 PM	28.04.2022 at 3.30 PM

The tender document sale between 07.04.2022 to 11.05.2022 (For S. No. 1.1 & 1.2), 07.04.2022 to 26.04.2022 (For S No. 1.3), **07.04.2022** to **10.05.2022** (For S No. 2.1) and **07.04.2022** to **27.04.2022** (For S No. 2.2) from 11.00 A.M. to 3.00 P.M., For downloading tender documents, EMD and other details, refer website : **www.tenders.tn.gov.in** and **www.aavinmilk.com** for off line **www.tntenders.gov.in** for E-submission. Tender documents can be downloaded at free of cost.

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WALK-IN -INTERVIEW NOTIFICATION
(LOCAL PERSON FROM KALYANA KARNATAKA-(HK)-371-J)

Application are invited by Director VIMS, Ballari from eligible candidates from Kalyana Karnataka (HK) local persons under 371J for the post of Professor / Associate Professor / Assistant Professor for Emergency Medicine Department for Super specialty Trauma Care Center, VIMS, Ballari. The candidates are required to attend the Interview before the selection committee at the Director, VIMS campus, Cantonment, Ballari along with the original documents, 2 sets of documents duly attested by gazette officer and 2 passport size photos. The candidates are requested to report before the scrutinizing committee before 09:00 am on 12/04/2022.

For the smooth conduct of Walk-in-interview the candidates are requested to submit the application along with necessary documents and DD for **Rs.500/-** (Non refundable) drawn in favour of Director Vijayanagar Institute of Medical Sciences Ballari. payable at Ballari, The other details are in the college website: **https://vims.karnataka.gov.in**

Sl No	Designation	No. of Posts	Department	Category / Roaster
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NO: RD 15 GRC 2020 **Dated: 11.03.2022**

NOTIFICATION

Whereas, upon considering the report of Deputy Commissioner, Davanagere District, and after due investigation of the complaint of depositors, it has come to notice of the Government that Lakshmi Credit Co-Operative Society Ltd.,Davanagere District is involved in fraudulent transactions by clandestinely and illegally collecting deposits or money from the general public and thereafter have failed to return the same either after maturity or on demand made by the depositors or complainants with promised interest and other assured benefits and thereby have failed to render the services promised to them.

And whereas, it has further come to the notice of the Government that Lakshmi Credit Co-Operative Society Ltd., Davanagere District and people associating with them have been acquiring lands, movable and immovable properties, cash and others from and out of the deposits or money so collected, from the depositors or complainants and thereby deviating from the intended purposes of accepting the deposits or money.

And whereas, the Government has reason to believe that the actions of Lakshmi Credit Co-Operative Society Ltd., Davanagere District and people associating with them are acting in and detrimental to the interest of the depositors or complainants whose intention was to defraud the innocent depositors, and it has become necessary to protect the interest of the depositors of the Lakshmi Credit Co-Operative Society Ltd., Davanagere District.

And whereas, now the Government after considering the report of the Deputy Commissioner, Davanagere District, and satisfying itself about the urgent need to protect the interest of the depositors and in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (2) of Section 3 of the Karnataka Protection of interest of Depositors in Financial Establishment Act, 2004 (Karnataka Act 30 of 2005) hereby makes the following order, namely:

"ORDER"

Now therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub section (2) of Section 3 of the Karnataka Protection of interest of Depositors in Financial Establishment Act, 2004 (Karnataka Act 30 of 2005), the Government under the circumstances stated above having satisfied that in order to protect the interest of depositors it is necessary to attach the movable and immovable properties believed to belong to Lakshmi Credit Co-Operative Society Ltd., Davanagere District Therefore, the Government hereby attaches all movable and immovable properties as specified in the Annexure-1 & 2 to this order believed to have been acquired by the Lakshmi Credit Co-Operative Society Ltd., Davanagere District either in its own name or in the name of any other person from and out of the deposits collected by the Lakshmi Credit Co-Operative Society Ltd., Davanagere District and where as it transpires that such money or such other properties of the said financial establishment, or the personal assets of the promoters, partners, directors, managers or members or any other person of the said financial establishment is not sufficient for the repayment of the deposits or interest or such other assured benefits to the depositors.

Note: All the aforesaid movable and immovable properties, from the date of publication of this order in the Official Gazette, shall forthwith vest with the Competent Authority, who has been appointed by the Government, pending further orders from the Special Court.

By Order and in the name of the Governor of Karnataka
Sd/-
(Mallikarjuna Ramachandrappa)
Under Secretary to Government
Revenue Department (Special Cell)

Annexure-1

ಕ್ರ ಸಂ	ಸ್ವತ್ತಿನ ವಿವರ (ಚಿಕ್ಕುಬಂದಿ ಒಳಗೊಂಡಂತೆ)	ದಾಖಲೆಗಳ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಸ್ವತ್ತಿನ ಮಾಲೀಕ	ದಾಖಲಾತಿ ವಿವರ	ಪ್ರಸ್ತುತ ಮಾರುಕಟ್ಟೆ ದರ(ರೂ.ಗಳಲ್ಲಿ)	ಖರೀದಿ ದರ (ರೂ.ಗಳಲ್ಲಿ)	ಷರಾ
1	(1) 203/2ಎ ಡೋರ್ ನಂ.4003/ 203, 46.63+46.05X55.16+5, 5.47 ಮೀಟರ್ (27575.54 ಚದರ ಅಡಿ) ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ:9 ಮೀಟರ್ ಅಗಲದ ರಸ್ತೆ ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: ರೀ ಸರ್ವೇ ನಂ.203/1ಬಿ ರ ಸ್ವತ್ತು ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: ರೀ ಸರ್ವೇ ನಂ.203/2ಎ3 ರ ಸ್ವತ್ತು ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: ರೀ ಸರ್ವೇ ನಂ.203/2ಎ1 ರ ಸ್ವತ್ತು	ಸೀತಾರಾಮ್ ರಾಮಕೃಷ್ಣ ಹೆಗಡೆ ಬಿನ್ ರಾಮಕೃಷ್ಣ ಹೆಗಡೆ	ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು, ಕಸಬಾ ಹೋಬಳಿ, ಕುಂದವಾಡ ಗ್ರಾಮ	1,53,70,981/–	68.94.000/–	
	(2) 203/3, ಡೋರ್ ನ:4003/43, ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ:43 ರಲ್ಲಿ 40X60 ಅಳತೆಯ ನಿವೇಶನ (2400 ಚದರಡಿ) ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: ರಸ್ತೆ ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: ರೀ ಸರ್ವೇ ನಂ.203/2ಎ2 ರ ಸ್ವತ್ತು ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ.44 ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ.42		ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು, ಕಸಬಾ ಹೋಬಳಿ, ಕುಂದವಾಡ ಗ್ರಾಮ	13,37,792/–	11,00,000/–	
	(3) ಖಾತಾ ಸಂ:2207 58X94 ರಲ್ಲಿ 30X40 ದಾನಪತ್ರದ ಮೂಲಕ ಬಂದಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಅಳತೆಯ ವಸತಿ ಕಟ್ಟಡ ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: 50 ಅಡಿ ರಸ್ತೆ ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ.23 ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ.13 ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: 40 ಅಡಿ ರಸ್ತೆ		ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು, ಪಾಲಿಕೆಯ ವಾರ್ಡ್ ನಂ:34, ವಿದ್ಯಾನಗರ	43,07,080/– (ಕಟ್ಟಡದ ತರಹೆ ನಮೂದಿಸಿರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ ಆದ್ದರಿಂದ ಖಾಲಿ ನಿವೇಶನಕ್ಕೆ ಬೆಲೆ ಮಾತ್ರ ನಮೂದಿಸಿದೆ)	–	
	(4) ಖಾತೆ ಸಂ.2207 ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣ 58X90 ವಸತಿ ಕಟ್ಟಡ ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: 50 ಅಡಿ ರಸ್ತೆ ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ.23 ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ.13 ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: 40 ಅಡಿ ರಸ್ತೆ		ವಿದ್ಯಾನಗರ, ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	41,23,800/– (ಕಟ್ಟಡದ ತರಹೆ ನಮೂದಿಸಿರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ ಆದ್ದರಿಂದ ಖಾಲಿ ನಿವೇಶನಕ್ಕೆ ಬೆಲೆ ಮಾತ್ರ ನಮೂದಿಸಿದೆ)	–	
2	(1) 85/1ಇ, ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ:20 ಚಾಲ್ತಿ ಮುನ್ಸಿಪಲ್ ಡೋರ್ ನಂ:1940/20, ಖಾತೆ ನಂ:2256, 9X15 ಮೀಟರ್‌ವುಳ್ಳ ನಿವೇಶನ ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: 5035/21 ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: ರಸ್ತೆ ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: ಡೋರ್ ನಂ.1940/19 ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: ಡೋರ್ ನಂ.1940/21	ಎಸ್.ಜಿ. ಕುಲಕರ್ಣಿ ತಂದೆ ಗೋಪಾಲರಾವ್ ಕುಲಕರ್ಣಿ	ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಕಸಬಾ ಹೋಬಳಿ, ಶಾಬನೂರು ಗ್ರಾಮ	8,10,000/–	95,000/–	
	(2) ಅಸೆಸ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ನಂ:1790/27, 30X40 ಅಳತೆಯ ಕಟ್ಟಡ. ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: ಡೋರ್ ನಂ.1667/61 ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: ರಸ್ತೆ ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: 1790/28 ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: 1790/26		ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆ ವಾರ್ಡ್ ನಂ:34, ಎಸ್.ಎಸ್.ಬಿ "ಎ" ಬ್ಲಾಕ್	8,91,861/– (ಕಟ್ಟಡದ ತರಹೆ ನಮೂದಿಸಿರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ ಆದ್ದರಿಂದ ಖಾಲಿ ನಿವೇಶನಕ್ಕೆ ಬೆಲೆ ಮಾತ್ರ ನಮೂದಿಸಿದೆ)	–	
3	(1) 108, 109 ರಲ್ಲಿ ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ:120, ಹೆಚ್‌ಐಜಿ–2 ಖಾಲಿ ನಿವೇಶನ 15X24 ಮೀಟರ್ ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ.119 ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ.121 ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: ರಸ್ತೆ ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ.134	ಟಿ.ಜಿ.ಮಂಜುನಾಥ ತಂದೆ ಗುರುಪಾದಪ್ಪ	ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಕಸಬಾ ಹೋಬಳಿ ಕುಂದವಾಡ	21,60,000/–	14,72,515/–	
	(2) ಸರ್ವೇ ನಂ:108/1 ರಲ್ಲಿ 4 ಎಕರೆ ತರಿ ಜಮೀನು ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: ಲಾಸನಂ. 107 ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: ಲಾಸನಂ.109, 110 ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: ಲಾ.ಹಿ.ನಂ.108/3, 4,5,6,7,8 ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: ಲಾ.ಹಿ.ನಂ.2		ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಕಸಬಾ ಹೋಬಳಿ ಶಿರಮಗೊಂಡನಹಳ್ಳಿ ಗ್ರಾಮ	80,00,000/–	–	ಎಂ.ಆರ್. ಹೆಚ್ 81/16–17 ವಿಭಾಗ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಚನ್ನಬಸಮ್ಮ ಕೋಂ ಲೇ: ಗುರುಪಾದಪ್ಪ ಮತ್ತು ಮಂಜುನಾಥ ಬಿನ್ ಲೇ:ಗುರುಪಾದಪ್ಪ ಇವರ ಹೆಸರಿಗೆ ಜಂಟಿ.
4	(1) ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ:09 ಚಾಲ್ತಿ ಡೋರ್ ನಂ:337/9, ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ.14 ಚಾಲ್ತಿ ಡೋರ್ ನಂ:337/14 (2660 ಚದುರಡಿವುಳ್ಳ ಖಾಲಿ ನಿವೇಶನ) ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ:09 ಚಾಲ್ತಿ ಡೋರ್ ನಂ:337/9, ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ.10 ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ.10 ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: ರಸ್ತೆ ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ.14 ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ:14 ಚಾಲ್ತಿ ಡೋರ್ ನಂ:337/14, ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ.15 ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ.13 ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ.09 ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: ರಸ್ತೆ	ಕೆ.ಎ.ವಿಠಲ್ ಬಿನ್ ಕೆ.ವಿ.ಆನಂದರಾವ್	ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಕಸಬಾ ಹೋಬಳಿ ನಿಟುವಳ್ಳಿ ಗ್ರಾಮ	14,82,720/–	3,06,000/–	
	(2) ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ:10 ಡೋರ್ ನಂ:337/10, ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ.15 ಡೋರ್ ನಂ:337/15 5260 ಚದುರಡಿವುಳ್ಳ ಖಾಲಿ ನಿವೇಶನ) ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ:10 ಚಾಲ್ತಿ ಡೋರ್ ನಂ:337/10, ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: ರಸ್ತೆ ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ.09 ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: ರಸ್ತೆ		ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಕಸಬಾ ಹೋಬಳಿ ನಿಟುವಳ್ಳಿ ಗ್ರಾಮ	29,31,995/–	5,00,000/–	
5	(1) ಸರ್ವೇ ನಂ.198/6, 38 ಗುಂಟೆ ಜಮೀನನ್ನು ವಸತಿ ಉದ್ದೇಶಕ್ಕಾಗಿ (ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ:13, 14, 15, 16, 17 ಮತ್ತು 18) 6 ನಿವೇಶನಗಳನ್ನಾಗಿ ವಿಂಗಡಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: ಸರ್ವೇ ನಂ. ಸ್ವತ್ತು 199 ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: ರಸ್ತೆ ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ.12 ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ.19	ಆರ್.ಪರಮೇಶ್ವರ ರಾವ್ ತಂದೆ ಪಿ.ರಾಮರಾವ್	ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಕಸಬಾ ಹೋಬಳಿ ಕುಂದವಾಡ ಗ್ರಾಮ	8,10,000/– 8,10,000/– 8,10,000/– 7,93,800/– 7,85,700/– 7,77,600/–	11,20,750/–	2014–15 ರ ಸಾಲಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಕಾವೇರಿ ಬಿಲ್ಡರ್ಸ್ ಇವರ ಹೆಸರಿಗೆ ಖಾತೆ ಇರುತ್ತದೆಂದು ಕಂದಾಯಾಧಿಕಾರಿ ವಲಯ ಕಚೇರಿ–3 ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆ ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ಇವರು ವರದಿ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ
	(2) (1) ಸರ್ವೇ ನಂ.198/7, 38 ಗುಂಟೆ ಜಮೀನಿನಲ್ಲಿ ವಸತಿ ಉದ್ದೇಶಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ:11, (ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆ ಚಾಲ್ತಿ ಡೋರ್ ನಂ.3624/11) 6.40 X 15.00 ಮೀಟರ್‌ವುಳ್ಳ ನಿವೇಶನ ಮತ್ತು ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ.20 (ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆ ಚಾಲ್ತಿ ಡೋರ್ ನಂ.3624/20) 6.40 X 14.75 +14.90 ಮೀಟರ್‌ವುಳ್ಳ 2 ನಿವೇಶನ ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: ರಸ್ತೆ ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: ರಸ್ತೆ ಮಹಾಲಕ್ಷ್ಮಿ ಲೇಔಟ್ ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: ಪ್ಲಾಟ್ ನಂ.10 ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: ರಸ್ತೆ		ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಕಸಬಾ ಹೋಬಳಿ ಕುಂದವಾಡ ಗ್ರಾಮ	5,76,000/–	3,22,050/–	
	(3)ಖಾತಾ ನಂ:352, 60X90 ಅಳತೆಯ ನಿವೇಶನ ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: ಡೋರ್ ನಂ.376 ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: 1ನೇ ಮುಖ್ಯರಸ್ತೆ ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: ಡೋರ್ ನಂ.353 ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: ಡೋರ್ ನಂ.351		ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆ ನಿಜಲಿಂಗಪ್ಪ ಬಡಾವಣೆ ವಾರ್ಡ್ ನಂ.28	50,16,722/–	–	
	(4) ಖಾತಾ ನಂ.357, 50 X 100 ಅಳತೆಯ ವಸತಿ ಕಟ್ಟಡ ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: 358/1 ರ ಸುನೀತರ ಸ್ವತ್ತು ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: ಮನೆ 356/2 ಶುಭೋದಯ ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: ಮನೆ ಹಿಂಭಾಗ ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: ಮೋತಿ ವೀರಪ್ಪ ಕಾಲೇಜ್ ಹಿಂಭಾಗದ ರಸ್ತೆ	ಆರೋಪಿ ಆರ್.ಪರಮೇಶ್ವರ ರಾವ್ ರವರ ತಾಯಿ ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಗೌರಮ್ಮ ರವರ ಹೆಸರಿನಲ್ಲಿರುತ್ತದೆ	ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆಯ ವಾರ್ಡ್ ನಂ:30 ಪಿ.ಜೆ.ಬಡಾವಣೆ	1.16,15,000/– ಕಟ್ಟಡದ ತರಹೆ ನಮೂದಿಸಿರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ ಆದ್ದರಿಂದ ಖಾಲಿ ನಿವೇಶನಕ್ಕೆ ಬೆಲೆ ಮಾತ್ರ ನಮೂದಿಸಿದೆ)	–	
6	ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ.270, ಮುನ್ಸಿಪಲ್ ಡೋರ್ ನಂ:626/270, 40+12X40 ಅಡಿ ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣವುಳ್ಳ ನಿವೇಶನ 2 ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ.271 ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: ಕಾಲುದಾರಿ ಆಚೆಗೆ ಬೇತೂರು ಹಳ್ಳ ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: ರಸ್ತೆ ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ.269	ಎಸ್. ಓಂಕಾರಪ್ಪ ಬಿನ್ ಸೋಮಣ್ಣ	ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಕಸಬಾ ಹೋಬಳಿ, ಆವರಗೆರೆ ಗ್ರಾಮ	4,83,600/–	36,500/–	
7	(1) ಸರ್ವೇ ನಂ.245/4, 28 ಗುಂಟೆ ತರೀ ಜಮೀನು ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: ಲಾ.ಸ.ನಂ.221 ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: ರಿ.ಸ.ನಂ.245/1 ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: ರಿ.ಸ.ನಂ.245/3 ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: ರಿ.ಸ.ನಂ.245/5	ಬಿ.ಸಿ.ಷಣ್ಮುಖಪ್ಪ ಬಿನ್ ಬಿ.ಚೆನ್ನಬಸಪ್ಪ	ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಕಸಬಾ ಹೋಬಳಿ ಬೇತೂರು ಗ್ರಾಮ	4,83,600/–	1,50,000/–	2015–16 ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಎಂ.ಆರ್.ಹೆಚ್ 57 ದಿ:23.12.2015 ರಂತೆ ಷಣ್ಮುಖಪ್ಪ ಬಿ.ಸಿ ಬಿನ್ ಬಿ ಚೆನ್ನಬಸಪ್ಪ ಇವರಿಂದ ಪಿ.ರುದ್ರೇಶ್ ಬಿನ್ ಪ್ರಹ್ಲಾದಪ್ಪ ಇವರಿಗೆ ಕ್ರಯವಾಗಿದೆ ನಂತರ ಇಬ್ಬರಿಗೆ ಕ್ರಯವಾಗಿ ಹಾಲಿ ಟಿ.ಆರ್ ಬಸಮ್ಮ ಕೋಂ ಕೆ.ಜಿ. ಚಂದ್ರಶೇಖರಪ್ಪ ಇವರ ಹೆಸರಿಗೆ ಪಹಣಿ ಇರುತ್ತದೆ.
	(2) ಸರ್ವೇ ನಂ.307/1, 1 ಎಕರೆ 20 ಗುಂಟೆ ಕೃಷಿ ಜಮೀನು ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: ರಿ.ಸ.ನಂ.307/2 ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: ಲಾ.ಸ.ನಂ.306 ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: ಲಾ.ಸ.ನಂ. 295 ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: ರಿ.ಸ.ನಂ.307/4	ಬಿ.ಸಿ.ಷಣ್ಮುಖಪ್ಪ ಬಿನ್ ಬಿ.ಚೆನ್ನಬಸಪ್ಪ	ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಕಸಬಾ ಹೋಬಳಿ ಬೇತೂರು ಗ್ರಾಮ	10,50,000/–	90,000/–	
	(3) ಖಾತಾ ಸಂ.2035/98, 60X60 ಕಟ್ಟಡ ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: 2035/99ರ ಮನೆ ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: ರಸ್ತೆ ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: ರಸ್ತೆ ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: 4184ರ ಮನೆ		ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆಯ ವಾರ್ಡ್ ನಂ.34, ಆಂಜನೇಯ ಬಡಾವಣೆ	30,10,033/– ಕಟ್ಟಡದ ತರಹೆ ನಮೂದಿಸಿರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ ಆದ್ದರಿಂದ ಖಾಲಿ ನಿವೇಶನಕ್ಕೆ ಬೆಲೆ ಮಾತ್ರ ನಮೂದಿಸಿದೆ	–	
8	(1) ಸರ್ವೇ ನಂ.115/4, 3ಎಕರೆ 20 ಗುಂಟೆ ಸರ್ವೇ ನಂ.115/8, 3 ಎಕರೆ ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: ಲಾ.ಹಿ.ನಂ.5 ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: ಲಾ.ಸ.ನಂ.117 ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: ಲಾ.ಸ.ನಂ. 121 ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: ಲಾ.ಗಿ.ನಂ.8 115/8 ಕ್ಕೆ (ಕ್ರಯಪತ್ರ ಚೆಕ್ಕುಬಂದಿಯಂತೆ) ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: ಭಾನಲ್ ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: ಹೆಚ್. ಶಿವಪ್ಪರವರ ಜಮೀನು ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: ಸೋಮಶೇಖರಪ್ಪರವರ ಜಮೀನು ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: ಪಿ. ರಾಮರಾವ್ ಇವರ ಜಮೀನು	ಹೆಚ್. ಕೆ ಶಂಕರನ್ ಬಿನ್ ಹೆಚ್.ಎನ್ ಕೃಷ್ಣಮೂರ್ತಿರಾವ್	ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಕಸಬಾ ಹೋಬಳಿ ಕುಂದವಾಡ ಗ್ರಾಮ	4,38,75,000/–	13,00,000	ಎಂ.ಆರ್. 01/09–10 ದಿ:22.05.2009 ರಲ್ಲಿ ಹೆಚ್.ಕೆ ಶಂಕರನ್ ಬಿನ್ ಹೆಚ್.ಎನ್.ಕೃಷ್ಣಮೂರ್ತಿರಾವ್ ಇವರಿಂದ ಆರ್. ಸುಬ್ರಮಣ್ಯ ಬಿನ್.ಪಿ ರಾಮರಾವ್ ಇವರಿಗೆ ಕ್ರಯ. ಎಂ.ಆರ್.02/09–10 ದಿ:22.05.2009 ರಲ್ಲಿ ಹೆಚ್.ಕೆ ಶಂಕರನ್ ಬಿನ್ ಹೆಚ್.ಎನ್. ಕೃಷ್ಣಮೂರ್ತಿರಾವ್ ಇವರಿಂದ ಆರ್. ಗುರುಪ್ರಸಾದ್ ಬಿನ್ ಪಿ.ರಾಮರಾವ್ ಇವರಿಗೆ ಕ್ರಯ ಚೆಕ್ಕುಬಂದಿ ಸರ್ವೇದಾಖಲೆಗಳಂತೆ ಇರುತ್ತವೆ.
	(2) ಸರ್ವೇ ನಂ.71/4 ರಲ್ಲಿ 1 ಎಕರೆ ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: ಲಾ.ಸ.ನಂ.72 ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: ಲಾ.ಸ.ನಂ.67,68 ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: ರಿ.ಸ.ನಂ.71/3 ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: ರಿ.ಸ.ನಂ.71/5		ಕುಂದವಾಡ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಕಸಬಾ ಹೋಬಳಿ ಹದಡಿ ಗ್ರಾಮ	10,50,000/–	–	
	(3) ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆಯ ಚಾಲ್ತಿ ಡೋರ್ ನಂ.2941/3 44X60 ಅಡಿ ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: 5ನೇ ಮುಖ್ಯ ರಸ್ತೆ ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: ಕನ್ಸ್‌ರ್‌ವೆನ್ಸಿ ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: ಡೋರ್ ನಂ.2940 ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: ಡೋರ್ ನಂ.2942		ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ನಗರ 32ನೇ ವಾರ್ಡ್ ಎಂಸಿಸಿ ಬಿ ಬ್ಲಾಕ್, 5ನೇ ಮೇನ್ , 3ನೇ ಕ್ರಾಸ್	49,05,120/–	–	
9	(1) ಡಿಸಿಎಂ ಟೌನ್ ಶಿಪ್, ಡೋರ್ ನಂ.91/87/309 ರಲ್ಲಿ ಸೈಟ್ ನಂ.309, 30X40 ಅಡಿ ಅಳತೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ನಿರ್ಮಿಸಿರುವ ಪ್ರಥಮ ದರ್ಜೆಯ ಆರ್‌ಸಿಸಿ ರೂಫಿನ ವಾಸದ ಮನೆ ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: ರಸ್ತೆ ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: ಖಾಲಿ ನಿವೇಶನ # 304 ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: ಮನೆ # 310 ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: ಖಾಲಿ ನಿವೇಶನ # 308	ಆರೋಪಿ ಸತೀಶ್ ಪಿ.ಕೆ ರವರ ಹೆಂಡತಿ ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಭಾರತಿ ರವರ ಹೆಸರಿನಲ್ಲಿರುತ್ತದೆ.	ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ಸಿಟಿ ನಿಟ್ಟುವಳ್ಳಿ ವಿಭಾಗದ ಡಿ.ಸಿ.ಎಂ ಟೌನ್‌ಷಿಪ್, 7ನೇ ಡಿವಿಜನ್, 5ನೇ ವಾರ್ಡ್, ಡೋರ್ ನಂ.91/87/309	11,14,827/–	–	
10	(1) ನಂ.696, 20X 18+20 ಅಳತೆಯ ಕಟ್ಟಡ ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: ಡೋರ್ ನಂ. 860 ಶಂಕ್ರಪ್ಪರ ಸ್ವತ್ತು ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: ರಸ್ತೆ ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: ಆನೆಕೊಂಡ ಪೇಟೆ ರಸ್ತೆ ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: ಗಂಗಮ್ಮನವರ 697 ರ ಸ್ವತ್ತು	ಆರೋಪಿ ಎಂ.ವಿ ರಾಮರಾವ್ ಬಿನ್ ಲೇಟ್ ವೆಂಕೋಭರಾವ್ ಶ್ಯಾನ ಭೋಗ	ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆಯ ವಾರ್ಡ್ ನಂ.22, ಎಸ್.ಕೆ.ಪಿ ರಸ್ತೆ.	1,94,180/–	–	
	(2) ನಂ.696/ಎ, 20X18+20 ಅಳತೆಯ ಕಟ್ಟಡ ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: ಶಂಕ್ರಪ್ಪ ರವರ ಸ್ವತ್ತು ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: ಇದೆ ಸ್ವತ್ತಿನ ಡೋರ್ ನಂ. ಬಾಬ್ತು ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: ಆನೆಕೊಂಡ ಪೇಟೆ ರಸ್ತೆ ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: ಗಂಗಮ್ಮನವರ ಸ್ವತ್ತಿನ ಬಾಬ್ತು		ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆಯ ವಾರ್ಡ್ ನಂ.22, ಎಸ್.ಕೆ.ಪಿ ರಸ್ತೆ.	1,94,180/–	–	
11	(1)ಖಾತಾ ಸಂ.500/2, 2ಎ, 2ಬಿ, 50X20 ದಾನಪತ್ರದ ಮೂಲಕ ಬಂದಿರುತ್ತದೆ ಅಳತೆಯ ಕಟ್ಟಡ ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: ರಸ್ತೆ ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: ಕನ್ಸ್ ವೆನ್ಸಿ ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: ಡೋರ್ ನಂ.501/1, 1ಎ ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: ಡೋರ್ ನಂ.501/1, 1ಎ	ಆರೋಪಿ ಎನ್. ನಾಗರಾಜ ಗುಪ್ತ ಬಿನ್ ಲೇಟ್ ಎಂ.ಸುಬ್ರಾಯ ಗುಪ್ತ	ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆಯ ವಾರ್ಡ್ ನಂ.30, ಪಿ.ಜೆ ಬಡಾವಣೆ	23,23,000/–	–	

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

TRIVANDRUM (WORKS BRANCH)

E-TENDER NOTICE No.V/W/TVC/ 7/2022 DATED 04/04/2022

Divisional Railway Manager/Works Branch/Trivandrum Division, Trivandrum-14 invites online tenders for the following works as per tender notice given in our e-tender portal **www.ireps.gov.in**. The tenderer (s)/contractor(s) to apply for e-tender for **WORKS** in Trivandrum Division, need to get enrolled in the e-tender portal **www.ireps.gov.in** and only online tenders will be accepted.

S. No.	Description	Approx. value Rs. (in Lakh)	Earnest Money Deposit (in Rs.)	Period of completion in months
1.	Kottayam - Proposed modification to the existing station building in ground floor and provision of lift in second entry building.	58.59	117200	TWELVE
2.	Kottayam- Land scaping works in main entry.	10.69	21400	TWELVE
3.	Kottayam - Development of Circulating Area in Second Entry.	181.93	241000	TWELVE
4.	Trivandrum division - Ernakulam - Alleppey - Kayankulam section - Standardisation of formation - 10 Km.	593.79	446900	TWELVE
5.	TVC division- Standardisation of formation in Trichur P.Way section - 8.9 km	380.70	340400	TWELVE
6.	Sr. Section Engineer/ P.way/ Mavelikara and Alleppey Engaging of semi skilled labour by outsourcing for monsoon night patrolling.	22.47	45000	FOUR
7.	Divisional Engineer North- Supply of welding portion 52 Kg & 60 Kg-R260 grade, equipment and supervision of welding.	161.70	230900	TWELVE

Tender Closing date and time: Sl No: 1 to 7: 05/05/2022 at 11.00 hrs

Details approximate value of tender, EMD & location are given on the e-portal, **www.ireps.gov.in"**. For Details of bid submission, please refer **www.ireps.gov.in.**

Senior Divisional Engineer/Co-ordination Trivandrum - 14
(for and on behalf of President of India)

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Regd. Office: PSEB Head Office, The Mall, Patiala - 147001.
Corporate Identity No. : U40109PB2010SGC033813, Website : www.pspcl.in
Mobile No. 96461-07205, E-mail : se-monitoring-ggsstp@pspcl.in

E-Tender Enq.No. 7252/P-3/EMP-W-11949 dated : 31.03.2022

Dy. Chief Engineer / Headquarter (Procurement Cell-3) GGSSTP, Roopnagar invites **E-Tender ID No. 2022_POWER_83616_1** for procurement of worm gear worm shaft set with key & lock nut for HP-803 (Stag.III) bowl mills. For detailed NIT & Tender Specification please refer to **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in from 01.04.2022 / 3.00 P.M.** onwards.

Note:- Corrigendum & addendum, if any will be published online at https://eproc.punjab.gov.in

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BANGALORE ELECTRICITY SUPPLY COMPANY LIMITED

(Wholly Owned Government of Karnataka Undertaking)
CIN-U40109KA2002SGC030438

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION

(Through e-Procurement)

BESCOM invites tender against **Enquiry No. CEE/BMANZ/ SEE(O)/AEE-2/22-23/Enq 01 Dt: 04.04.2022** for Providing the services of total 118 numbers of security guards out of which 96 with gun and 22 without gun to the various C,O&M Cash Counters, Offices and Stores at East & North circles in BMANZ, BESCOM, Bangalore for a period of One year on contract basis.

Issue of Bid documents: **06.04.2022 to 20.04.2022, 14.00 Hrs.** Last date for receipt of bid documents: **20.04.2022 upto 16.00 Hrs**. Opening of bid documents on or after: **22.04.2022, 11.00 Hrs.**

The tender can be obtained through e-Procurement by visiting our website or directly you can access the tendering website: **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** Any clarifications about e-payment contact e-procurement helpdesk: **080-23010900/ 22340948** or e-mail: hphelpkesk.blr@rtservices.com for any issue.

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Sd/-
Chief Engineer (Electy), (C, O&M), BMAZ-North, BESCOM, Bengaluru.

The Brihanmumbai Electric Supply & Transport Undertaking

(OF THE BRIHANMUMBAI MAHANAGARPALIKA)

TENDER NOTICE

E-tender is invited for the supply of following item:-

1. 73169 - Wet lease of 1400 (+50% variation i.e. upto 2100) SD AC Electric Buses with Drivers (Bid End Date Extended upto 18.04.2022)

Note : For more details, log on to website **https://mahatenders.gov.in.**

PRO/AAM(M)/06/2022 **GENERAL MANAGER**

NRUPATHUNGA UNIVERSITY, BENGALURU

Office of the Registrar, Nrupathunga University, Bengaluru
Email: nrupathungauniversity@gmail.com,
ಕನ್ನಡಕಾಯಕ ವರ್ಷ 2020–21 Ph No. 080-22212924

No: NU/01/e-tender/2021-22 **Date: 04.04.2022**

Tender for the supply of IT equipmemts and other items for Nrupathunga University, Bengaluru.

Tender No: **NU/01/e-tender/2021-22**, Date of floating tender on e- procurement portal: **05.04.2022**, Date and time of pre-bid meeting: **11.04.2022**, Last date and time for bidding through e-procurement portal: **15.04.2022 5.00 pm**, Date and time for opening of technical bid on e-procurement portal: **19.04.2022 11.00 am**, Date and time for opening of commercial bids on e-procurement portal: **Will be intimated to the shortlisted / technically qualified bidders.**

DIPR/CP/031/Zenkar/2022-23 **Sd/- Registrar**

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MANDYA DIST. CO-OPERATIVE MILK PRODUCERS' SOCIETIES UNION LTD.

PRODUCT DAIRY, GEJJALAGERE - 571 428. MANDYA DIST.
e-Mail: **manmulfgs@gmail.com** Tele: **08232 – 274572**

IFT No: MMU/FGS/Trans/Tender/42/2021-22 Date: 30-03-2022

TENDER NOTIFICATION

(Through e-Procurement Portal Only)

The Mandya Dist. Co-operative Milk Producer's Societies Union Ltd., invites Tenders through e-procurement for transportation of paneer and Butter from eligible Tenderer's as mentioned below

From **PDG, Gajjalagere** to **KMF, BSD, Bengaluru** for 2 Side: **200 Kmtrs.** Tonnage of the Vechile: **4.5 ton capacity**. EMD: **Rs.30,000/-**, No of calls: **1st.** Interested Tenderers may download bid documents from the e-Procurement portal **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** and also contact helpline No: 080-25501227 / 25501216, e-mail: hphelpdesk.blr@intarvo.com

Scheduled dates are as follows:

(1) Tender Schedules may be downloaded from: **05.04.2022 to 04.05.2022 upto 5.00 PM. (2)** Last date for submission of Tender: **04.05.2022 upto 5.00 PM. (3)** Opening of Technical Tender (Part-1) : **07.05.2022 after 11.30 AM. (4)** Opening of Commercial Tender (Part-2) : **Will be intimated later.**

For any queries please contact Assistant Manager (FGS), Mobile No: **9611120866**

For Mandya Dist. Co-Operative Milk Union Ltd.,
Sd/- Managing Director

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

(CIN : U40109KA1999SGC025521)

No. CEE/TKR/TZ/SEE(O)/AEE-2/12278-80 Date: 30.03.2022

BRIEF TENDER NOTIFICATION (E-PROCUREMENT MODE ONLY)

KPTCL invites bid against **Enquiry No.** KPTCL/CEE/TZ/ TKR/2nd CIRCUIT/NEL-YRG/TLTB-2 for Stringing of 2nd circuit line on existing DC towers from 220/66kV Neelagunda S/s to 66kV Yaragunta S/s via Telagi in the existing corridor for a dist. of 30.848 Kms along with Construction of 66kV Terminal bay at 66/11kV Yaragunta in Harihara Taluk & Davanagere Taluk, Davanagere Dist including Supply of all matching materials/Equipments and Erection (Including Civil Works) of all Materials / Equipments, Testing and Commissioning. The bids will be received through electronic tendering mode only. The details regarding participation in the e-tendering process can be obtained by logging on to KPTCL website **https://kptcl.karnaraka.gov.in** with hyperlink "e-procurement-KPTCL" or **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in on or after 06.04.2022**. Any other details required in this regard can also be had from the office of the undersigned during office hours.

Sd/- Chief Engineer (Ele), Transmission Zone, KPTCL, Siddaganga Complex, B.H. Road, Tumakuru. Ph: 0816-2279074

KMF Karnataka Cooperative Milk Producers' Federation Limited

KMF Complex :Dr MH Marigowda Road, Bangalore – 560029
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IFT NO: KMF/PUR/TENDER-418/2021-22 Date: 21.03.2022

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION

1) Karnataka Milk Federation, Bangalore invites tenders from Eligible Transport contractors for the below service.

a) Providing Vehicles for transportation of WMP in 10Kg TINs from Mother Dairy, BENGALURU to different destinations of ARMY Supply Depots for 2 years. (Vehicle details are as per the schedule of requirement.)

Tender documents may download from e-procurement portal website https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in and also contact Help line No: 080-23010900 / 23010901

Further details may be obtained from the tender document.

Date of commencement of Tender Download:	01.04.2022
Pre-bid Meeting Dtd;	07.04.2022 at 11.00 hrs.
Last date for submission of Tender	on or before11.04.2022 at 17.00 hrs.
Date of opening of Technical Tender	on 13.04.2022 at 11.00 hrs.

FOR KARNATAKA CO-OPP. MILK FEDERATION LTD.,
Sd/-
DIRECTOR (PURCHASE)

TAMIL NADU WATER SUPPLY AND DRAINAGE BOARD

INVITATION OF BIDS – TWO COVER – ITEMWAR TENDER SYSTEM

IFB No.	F. WSIS to Thenkarai T.P. /SDO I/ CW /2021 /Dt : 30.03.2022
Fund	NABARD Loan Assistance under RIDF XXV (2019-20)/State Share(MNP)/Capital Grant Fund and O & M Gap Filling fund.
Eligibility	Registered Class I Bidders
Tender Invitee	The Chief Engineer, TWAD Board, No.1/1,Sambakulam,Ganesh Nagar, Mathuthavani, Madurai - 625 007
Sale of Bid & Place of Sale	**07.04.2022 to 04.05.2022 up to 5.45 p.m. At O/o the Executive Engineer, TWAD Board, RWS Division, Theni, Tamilnadu** by cash or by Demand Draft for Rs.1000 + GST in favour of Executive Engineer, TWAD Board, RWS Division, Theni payable at Theni.
Down loading website	(Free of cost) at **www.tenders.tn.gov.in** and **www.twadboard.tn.gov.in.**
Pre Bid meeting	**20.04.2022** at **11.00 a.m.** at the office of the Tender Invitee
Bid Submission	**06.05.2022** before **3.00 p.m.** at the office of the Tender Invitee in person or through post. This office will not be held responsible for postal delay, if any.
Bid opening	**06.05.2022** at **3.30 p.m.** at the office of the Tender Invitee

Sl. No.	Name of work	Approximate value of work (Rs.in Crore including GST)	Bid security (Rs.in lakhs)
1.	Providing WSIS to Thenkarai Town Panchayat in Theni District with Sothuparai Dam as Source including maintenance for a period of 12 months (Period of completion – 12 months)	9.02	6.77

DIPR/ 1635 /TENDER/2022 **Chief Engineer, TWAD Board, Madurai**

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MANDYA DIST. CO-OPERATIVE MILK PRODUCER'S SOCIETIES UNION LTD.

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IFT NO: MMU/PUR/E-Procu./Tender-25/2022-23 Date: 01.04.2022

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION

(Through E-procurement portal only)

Mandya Milk Union Ltd. invites e-Tenders for (1) Supply of 500 Grms Unsalted Butter Duplex Cartons On ARC Basis-10,00,000 Nos. (2) Supply of 200 Grms Unsalted Butter Duplex Cartons On ARC Basis-3,00,000 Nos. (3) Wall/Shop Painting and Vehicle Painting-400000 Sqft. Interested tenderers may please refer detail notice inviting tender for eligibility criteria & other details. Tenderers can downloaded documents from: **04.04.2022**, Last date of submission of tender: **18.04.2022** at 15.30 hrs, Date of opening of Technical tender: **19.04.2022** after 16.00 hrs & Commercial Bid opening will be intimated. Interested Tenderer's may download bidding documents from the e-procurement portal https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in / website: www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in and also contact helpline No: 080-25501227/25501216, e-mail:hphelpdesk.blr@intarvo.com.

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Sd/-
MANAGING DIRECTOR

(Government of Karnataka)

RURAL WATER SUPPLY AND SANITATION DEPARTMENT HASSAN DIVISION HASSAN

One & TWO COVER SHORT TERM TENDER
NOTIFICATION NO: 19/2022-23 DATED : 04-04-2022

On Behalf Governor of Karnataka, The Executive Engineer Rural Water Supply & Sanitation Department Hassan Division Hassan. Has Invited the Tender for the works of Arsikere Taluk Approved under 2020-21 & 2021-22 JJM and works of Holenarsipura and Arsikere taluk approved under 2021-22 NRDWP-4215 C&Q Mentioned Below, **Single Cover System works** Holenarasipura Taluk 05 Works- (SC-03, ST-02), Channarayaptna Taluk 03 Works (ST-03) Holenarasipura Taluk 01 Work Arsikere Taluk 01 Work **Two Cover System works** Holenarasipura Taluk 02Works- (General-02), Sakleshpura Taluk 03 Works(General) Channarayaptna Taluk 02 Works(General) Above work tenders are invited in One & Two cover system in e-procurement portal. The tender details are available in www.e-procurement.karnataka.gov.in From 04-04-2022After 5.30P.m . The bidder should submitted the tender with in the dated: **12-04-2022** before 5-30 P.M. On Dated :**07-04-2022** for the JJM works the Pre-bid Meeting will be conducted in this office, Interested Contractor may participated. Venue : Office of the Executive Engineer, Rural Drinking Water Supply and Sanitation Department, Zilla Panchyath Building, N.R,Circle Hassan. The Technical bid will open on dated : **14-04-2022** after 11.00 A.M. The Financial bid of the Technically qualified bidder will be open on dated: **16-04-2022** after 11.00A.M. The Executive Engineer has reserved the rights of to cancel all tender or any one tender without giving any reason.

Sd/- Executive Engineer Rural drinking water and sanitation
ಜಾಸಾಸಂಇ/ಹಿಸನ/ಜಾಸನ/ಎಂಸಿಎ/04/2022–23 **Dept, Hassan division, Hassan.**

Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike

Office of the Executive Engineer (Ele), West Zone, No.98, 8th Cross, Malleswaram, Bengaluru - 560003

BBMP/EE/ELE/W/TEND/01/2022-23 Dated : 04-04-2022

INVITATION FOR TENDER (IFT)
(Single / Two Cover System)
(Through GoK E-Procurement Portal only)

Executive Engineer (Elect), West Zone, invites item rate tenders in accordance with KTPP rules 2000 and 2017, from eligible Class-1 contractors registered in Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike/KPWD/CPWD/Railways/MES/National Highway or any other equivalent Central/State Government Organizations on behalf of the Commissioner, BBMP, for the work of **O & M of Street lighting system in West Zone, BBMP** as detailed in the table. The bidders may submit their bids for work given in the table below through E-Procurement portal of the Government of Karnataka (viz https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in) The bidders are advised to note the minimum qualification criteria specified in clause-3 of the ITT (KW-1, KW-2/ KW-3) to qualify for the award of the contract.

Sl. No.	Name of the Work	Estimate value of work (Rs in lakhs)
1.	Operation and maintenance of Street Lights at Sreeramamandira and Shivanagara in Ward No-108 and 107 package 'W20' **(Call-2)**	**39.00** **EMD: Rs.78000.00**

Cost of document (Rs.) : As per E-Procurement portal.
Period of Completion : 365 days
Calendar of Events: (1) Tender documents may be downloaded from the e-procurement portal from **05-04-2022. (2)** Tenders may be submitted online through the e-procurement portal on or before **13-04-2022, 16.00 hours** and tender shall be opened on **16-04-2022 at 16.30 hours** Further particulars can be obtained from the above office during working hours on working days or from **website: https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/- Executive Engineer (Ele),
West Zone, BBMP

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ಕ್ರ ಸಂ	ಸ್ವತ್ತಿನ ವಿವರ (ಚೆಕ್ಕುಬಂದಿ ಒಳಗೊಂಡಂತೆ)	ದಾಖಲೆಗಳ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಸ್ವತ್ತಿನ ಮಾಲೀಕ	ದಾಖಲಾತಿ ವಿವರ	ಪ್ರಸ್ತುತ ಮಾರುಕಟ್ಟೆ ದರ(ರೂ.ಗಳಲ್ಲಿ)	ಖರೀದಿ ದರ (ರೂ.ಗಳಲ್ಲಿ)	ಷರಾ
	(2) ಖಾತಾ ಸಂ.500/2, 2ಎ, 2ಬಿ, 20X50 ವಸತಿ ಮತ್ತು ವಾಣಿಜ್ಯ ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: ರಸ್ತೆ, ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: ಕನ್ಸ್ ವೆನ್ಸಿ ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: ಡೋರ್ ನಂ.501/1, 1ಎ ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: ಡೋರ್ ನಂ.500/1, 1ಎ	ಆರೋಪಿಯ ಹೆಂಡತಿ ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಎನ್. ಶೈಲಾ ಎನ್ ಗುಪ್ತ ರವರ ಹೆಸರಿನಲ್ಲಿರುತ್ತದೆ.	ಪಿ.ಜೆ ಬಡಾವಣೆ ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	23,23,000/–	–	
12	ಖಾತಾ ನಂ.2034/25 30X40 ಅಳತೆಯ ನಿವೇಶನ ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ: 2034/24ರ ಸ್ವತ್ತು ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ: 2034/26ರ ಸ್ವತ್ತು ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ: 2034ರ ಸ್ವತ್ತು ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ: ರಸ್ತೆ	ನಳಿನಿ ಅಚ್ಯುತ್ ಕೋಂ ಬಿ.ತಿ ಅಚ್ಯುತ್	ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆಯ ವಾರ್ಡ್ ನಂ.34, ಸಿದ್ದವೀರಪ್ಪ ಬಡಾವಣೆ	8,91,600/–		

Annexure-2

Freezed Bank Account Details

ಕ್ರ ಸಂ	ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್ ಹೆಸರು	ಶಾಖೆ	ಖಾತೆ ಶಾಖೆ	ಖಾತೆದಾರರ ಹೆಸರು ಮತ್ತು ವಿಳಾಸ	ಖಾತೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಲಭ್ಯವಿರುವ ಮೊತ್ತ
01	ಕೆನರಾ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್	ಕೆ.ಬಿ.ಎಕ್ಸ್‌ಟೆಂಕ್ಷನ್	150101001803	ಮೋಹನ್ ದೀಕ್ಷಿತ್ ವಿ. ತಂದೆ ವಿಶ್ವನಾಥ್ ದೀಕ್ಷಿತ್ ವಾಸ 5ನೇ ಮುಖ್ಯರಸ್ತೆ, 2ನೇ ಅಡ್ಡರಸ್ತೆ ವಾಸ ಡಿಸಿಎಂ ಟೌನ್ ಶಿಪ್ ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ.	23341
02	ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್	ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ಮೈನ್ ಬ್ರಾಂಚ್	1822500101306101	ಸುಬ್ರಮಣ್ಯ ಆರ್ ತಂದೆ ರಾಮರಾವ್ ಪಿ ವಾಸ 9ನೇ ಕ್ರಾಸ್ ಪಿಜೆ ಬಡಾವಣೆ ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ.	1889
	ದಿ ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ಅರ್ಬನ್ ಕೋ ಆಪರೇಟಿವ್ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್ ಲಿ ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	00021370003288		12127
03	ಕೆನರಾ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್	ಪಿ.ಜೆ ಎಕ್ಸ್‌ಟೆಂಕ್ಷನ್ ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	0591101033560	ಡಾ. ಎಸ್ ಆರ್ ಹೆಗಡೆ ತಂದೆ ಎಂ. ರಾಮಕೃಷ್ಣ ಹೆಗಡೆ , ಎಕ್ಸರೇ ಕ್ಲಿನಿಕ್, ಸಿ.ಜಿ. ಆಸ್ಪತ್ರೆ ರಸ್ತೆ, ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ.	71957
	ಶ್ರೀ ಕನ್ನಿಕಾಪರಮೇಶ್ವರಿ ಕೋ ಆಫ್ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್	ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	001100100008476		7614
	ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಗ್ರಾಮೀಣ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕು	ಪಿ.ಜೆ ಎಕ್ಸ್‌ಟೆಂಕ್ಷನ್ ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	10590100005764		242187
	ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಗ್ರಾಮೀಣ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕು	ಪಿ.ಜೆ ಎಕ್ಸ್‌ಟೆಂಕ್ಷನ್ ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	10590100017264		2500
	ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಗ್ರಾಮೀಣ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕು	ಪಿ.ಜೆ ಎಕ್ಸ್‌ಟೆಂಕ್ಷನ್ ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	10590221950972		50000
	ಬಾಪೂಜಿ ಕೋ–ಆಫ್ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್ ಲಿ.	ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	002012000020957		220426
	ಬಾಪೂಜಿ ಕೋ–ಆಫ್ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್ ಲಿ.	ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	002011500000118		7922
04	ಶ್ರೀ ಕನ್ನಿಕಾಪರಮೇಶ್ವರಿ ಕೋ ಆಫ್ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್	ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	001100100000009	ನಾಗರಾಜ ಗುಪ್ತ ಎಂ ತಂದೆ ಎಂ ಸುಬ್ರಾಯ ಗುಪ್ತ ಮಾರುತಿ ನಿಲಯ 4ನೇ ಮೇನ್ ಪಿ ಜೆ ಬಡಾವಣೆ ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	15607
05	ಡಿಸಿಸಿ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್ ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	694000842477 (ಚಾಲ್ತಿ ಖಾತೆ)	ಎಸ್.ಜಿ.ಕುಲಕರ್ಣಿ ತಂದೆ ಗೋಪಾಲರಾವ್ ವಾಸ ನಂ. 1790/27 5ನೇ ಅಡ್ಡ ರಸ್ತೆ, ಎಸ್.ಎಸ್. ಬಡಾವಣೆ ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	2057
	ಕಾರ್ಪೋರೇಷನ್ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್	ಸಿ.ಜಿ.ಹೆಚ್. ರೋಡ್, ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	01–022904		287233
	ಕಾರ್ಪೋರೇಷನ್ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್	ಸಿ.ಜಿ.ಹೆಚ್. ರೋಡ್, ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	520101003451824		16147
	ಕಾರ್ಪೋರೇಷನ್ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್	ಸಿ.ಜಿ.ಹೆಚ್. ರೋಡ್, ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	01–1550004		–
06	ಯುಕೋ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್	ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	10430100003292	ಕೆ.ಎ. ವಿಠ್ಠಲ್ ತಂದೆ ಆನಂದರಾವ್ ಕೆ.ವಿ. 160/1 ಕಾವೇರಿ ನಿಲಯ ಕುವೆಂಪು ರಸ್ತೆ ಕೆ.ಬಿ ಬಡಾವಣೆ ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	4898
	ಓರಿಯಂಟಲ್ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್ ಆಫ್ ಕಾಮರ್ಸ್	ಕೆ.ಬಿ.ಎಕ್ಸ್ ಟಿಂಕ್ಷನ್ ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	16021131000319 (ಆನಂದ ರಾವ್ ಅಂಡ್ ಕೋ)		169384
	ಬಾಪೂಜಿ ಕೋ–ಆಫ್ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್ ಲಿ.	ಬಿ.ಐ.ಇ.ಟಿ ಶಾಖೆ, ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	006011500003479		268
	ಆಕ್ಸಿಸ್ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್	ಪಿ.ಬಿ. ರೋಡ್ ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	225010100057567		1919
07	ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ಅರ್ಬನ್ ಕೋ ಆಪರೇಟಿವ್ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್ ಲಿ.	ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	00020030001554 (ಚಾಲ್ತಿ ಖಾತೆ)	ಪರಮೇಶ್ವರ ರಾವ್ ತಂದೆ ರಾಮರಾವ್ ಪಿ ನಂ.352 ಶ್ರೀರಾಮ ನಿವಾಸ ಲಕ್ಷ್ಮೀ ಪ್ಲೋರ್ ಮಿಲ್ ರಸ್ತೆ ಎಸ್.ನಿಜಲಿಂಗಪ್ಪ ಬಡಾವಣೆ ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	11629
08	ಕೆನರಾ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್	ಪಿ.ಜೆ ಎಕ್ಸ್ ಟೆಂಕ್ಷನ್ ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	5091101017408	ನಳಿನಾ ಅಚ್ಯುತ್ ಗಂಡ ಬಿ.ಟಿ. ಅಚ್ಯುತ್ ವಾಸ 9ನೇ ಕ್ರಾಸ್ ಸಿದ್ದವೀರಪ್ಪ ಬಡಾವಣೆ ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	33053
	ಬಾಪೂಜಿ ಕೋ–ಆಫ್ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್ ಲಿ	ಬಿ.ಐ.ಇ.ಟಿ ಶಾಖೆ, ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	005012000011175		496486
	ಬಾಪೂಜಿ ಕೋ–ಆಫ್ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್ ಲಿ	ಬಿ.ಐ.ಇ.ಟಿ ಶಾಖೆ, ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	005012000011176		83852
	ಬಾಪೂಜಿ ಕೋ–ಆಫ್ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್ ಲಿ	ಬಿ.ಐ.ಇ.ಟಿ ಶಾಖೆ, ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	005012000013342		482576
	ಬಾಪೂಜಿ ಕೋ–ಆಫ್ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್ ಲಿ	ಬಿ.ಐ.ಇ.ಟಿ ಶಾಖೆ, ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	005012000013343		361932
	ಬಾಪೂಜಿ ಕೋ–ಆಫ್ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್ ಲಿ	ಬಿ.ಐ.ಇ.ಟಿ ಶಾಖೆ, ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	005012000013348		84886
09	ಕೆನರಾ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್	ಪಿ.ಜೆ ಎಕ್ಸ್ ಟೆಂಕ್ಷನ್ ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	1509101057279	ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ದ್ರಾಕ್ಷಾಯಣಿ ಮೂರ್ತಿ ಗಂಡ ಡಾ. ಎನ್.ಶ್ರೀನಿವಾಸ್ ಮೂರ್ತಿ ನಂ.7/879 ಗಾಯತ್ರಿ ಕೃಪ 4ನೇ ಕ್ರಾಸ್ ಕೆ.ಬಿ. ಬಡಾವಣೆ ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	7916
10	ಕೆನರಾ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್	ಪಿ.ಜೆ ಎಕ್ಸ್ ಟೆಂಕ್ಷನ್ ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	0591101047690	ಷಣ್ಮುಖ ಬಿ.ಸಿ ತಂದೆ ಕೆ.ಬಿ ಚನ್ನಬಸಪ್ಪ ವಾಸ ಎಂ.ಸಿ.ಸಿ.ಬಿ ಬ್ಲಾಕ್ 5ನೇ ಮೇನ್ ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	2829
11	ಐ.ಡಿ.ಬಿ.ಐ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್	ಪಿ.ಜೆ ಎಕ್ಸ್ ಟೆಂಕ್ಷನ್	36410400000073	ಗೋಪಾಲರಾವ್ ಡಿ.ಕೆ ತಂದೆ ಎಸ್.ಕೃಷ್ಣರಾವ್ ಕಾರ್ಯದರ್ಶಿ ಲಕ್ಷ್ಮಿ ಕ್ರೆಡಿಟ್ ಕೋಆಪರೇಟಿವ್ ಸೊಸೈಟಿ ವಾಸ ನಂ.1675/234 ಸಿದ್ದರಾಮೇಶ್ವರ ಬಡಾವಣೆ ನಿಟ್ಟುವಳ್ಳಿ, ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	20290
	ಎಸ್.ಬಿ.ಐ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್	ನಿಟ್ಟುವಳ್ಳಿ ಬ್ರಾಂಚ್ ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ	54009981822		9558
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Pakistan presents an example of how more than six decades of historical inaccuracies and distortion can resist the sanitising effect of the global information revolution and the resulting expansion of access to abundant but low-quality information

Christine Fair

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— Ramnath Goenka

IMRAN'S MOCKERY OF DEMOCRACY IN CALLING SNAP POLLS

The theatre of the absurd was in full play in Pakistan on Sunday after its Parliament got down to business to decide whether Prime Minister Imran Khan had the mandate to stay in office in the wake of a no-trust motion tabled by the opposition. Scene One began with the deputy speaker of the National Assembly dramatically spiking the no-confidence vote by invoking a clause on loyalty to the state for the flimsiest of reasons, agreeing with his party's propaganda blitz that the motion has its roots in a foreign plot to topple the government. Chances of it surviving legal scrutiny are at best remote if the judiciary is truly free and independent. Scene Two came soon enough, with Imran recommending the dissolution of Parliament and getting approval from his loyalist President in double-quick time. The dumbstruck opposition got some play in Scene Three as they 'elected' Shehbaz Sharif as their prime minister after the jubilant treasury left the House. Just when Imran was preening about his parliamentary skulduggery, mocking the opposition for not knowing what hit them, Scene Four opened on a sobering note with the Supreme Court getting into the act, taking suo motu cognisance of what is being widely seen as a civilian and constitutional coup.

That the powerful military establishment went neutral after openly propping up Imran till a few months ago indicated the latter might not have it easy in the judiciary and the people's court. Imran has since named the US official from whom he claims the 'threat' letter to unseat him originated, a charge America has emphatically denied. Chances of his relationship further worsening with the US can only go up. While there are reports suggesting his mass popularity has not diminished, it's Imran's misgovernance that dragged Pakistan further down the international debt road, making its economy unsustainable. If he does get a better popular mandate in fresh polls, chances of his face-off with the Miltablishment would only heighten, since he wanted his loyalist former ISI boss as Army chief, which the incumbent is completely against. Who generally has the last laugh in the martial law-prone country if an arrogant head of the nation turns the Army into his adversary is a no-brainer.

CONSEQUENCES OF A DOCTOR'S FAILURE

Failure in the medical profession can be far more disastrous than that in any other. That is what has emerged from the tragic suicide on March 30 by gynaecologist Dr Archana Sharma. She was booked for murder after a young woman's unfortunate death the previous day due to haemorrhage soon after she delivered a baby at a private hospital in Rajasthan's Dausa, run by her and her husband. The family and relatives of the unfortunate woman who had given birth shortly before she breathed her last held demonstrations, allegedly instigated by a political leader who was later arrested. These stopped only when the police booked Dr Archana for murder. A distraught Dr Archana, in her suicide note, appealed "Don't harass innocent doctors", and stated that only in her death would her innocence be proved. On April 1, the Indian Medical Association made a fervent appeal to PM Narendra Modi to make laws more stringent.

Whether that will see the light of day remains to be seen. However, a more crucial matter needs to be addressed here. Booking a doctor for murder over the death of a patient may set a disturbing trend. The average doctor-patient ratio in India is 1:1,456—much lower than the 1:1,000 suggested by the High Level Expert Group for Universal Health Coverage constituted by the Planning Commission and endorsed by the World Health Organization. Such incidents threaten to discourage youngsters from taking up the medical profession, which already needs far more presence in the rural areas. It is important to note one thing here: The ultimate failure in a doctor's profession is the death of her/his patient. Inevitably, and most unfortunately, deaths do occur, and each doctor faces such failures often despite the best efforts to prevent it. Should these failures then be looked upon as murders when no doctor would wish to violate the unwritten law of "No death under my watch"? It is this, and being booked for murder despite it, that drove Dr Archana to take her own life. A greater understanding of the doctor's profession is needed, but where do we start?

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DANGER OF POLITICAL INSTABILITY IN PAKISTAN

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A nuclear armed nation in political turmoil is something the world is extremely wary of. This is especially so if the nation has a history of political violence, fractious politics, frequent takeover of the administration by the Army and factions within the force as well. The turn of events in Islamabad should not surprise ardent Pakistan watchers. Unpredictability marks most political developments there, but a constitutional crisis of the current proportion has not been witnessed for some time. Analysing and writing on such a situation is itself a challenge as there is nothing certain about the turn of events.

It's good to get the background clear. Pakistan has a history of either Army rule or in recent years Army-controlled governments with foreign and security policy firmly in the hands of the generals; there exists the proverbial Deep State, which also comprises the intelligence community, some elements of the judiciary and even rich and influential businessmen. Self-aggrandisement is the philosophy of all actions of the Deep State. For years, Pakistan alternated between governments of the Pakistan People's Party (PPP) and the Pakistan Muslim League (Nawaz) (PML-N), with the Army as the kingmaker. There were two issues the Army wished to follow as a part of its security agenda for promotion of its domination: first, an anti-India stance and second, a promotion of radical Islam that it felt benefitted the nation in many ways. The PPP and PML(N) leaderships continued to follow the diktat of the Army, albeit with some resistance from time to time. An urge to improve relations with India for the sake of trade and other economic benefits was never acceptable to the Army, which pursued the separatist agenda in J&K as well. The long period of existence with the agenda of radical Islam, severe corruption and refusal of leeway to the political parties led to the final cleavage between the Army and the PPP and PML(N). The only viable party with an untested record of governance was Imran Khan's Pakistan Tehreek-e-Insaf (PTI), which had earlier won a majority in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa. In the 2018 general elections, the PTI became the favoured party and Imran received the backing of the Army to become the 'selected PM', leading a coalition government. It's been in place since then, becoming progressively more anti-India, especially after the Balakot air strike by India in February 2019 and the amendment of Article 370 by our Parliament. Imran Khan, popular in India for his cricketing skills and a regular at most cricket matches and Bollywood events, suddenly turned radical in outlook with a decided anti-India attitude. He refused to rein in the radical Islamic parties that frequently rule Pakistan's politics and its streets.

In all three spheres of governance that matter, the PTI and Imran Khan progressively stumbled. The most serious of these was the financial mismanagement of Pakistan's economy, commencing with the sacking of Atif Mian, the much respected Princeton economist who was a member of the Economic Advisory Council. Atif Mian was a Qadiani and Imran wilted under pressure from radical clerics in his own party. In four years, the economy has only gone from bad to worse; the proverbial begging bowl becoming Pakistan's symbol. It's no better in foreign relations with old time links like Saudi Arabia and UAE, the two highly influential states within the Islamic world, also falling on bad times. Uncertainty of economic assistance from China, little progress on the CPEC and constant issues on the security of Chinese workers haven't exactly led to any great achievements in the easiest of domains—the Sino-Pakistan relationship. Lately, it appears better, especially after Chinese Foreign Minister Wang Yi spoke recently at the Organisation of Islamic Cooperation (OIC) Foreign Ministers meeting at Islamabad. The third area of importance is internal security, which may have shown statistical improvement but the culture of protests and street turbulence continues, much to the Army's chagrin. Lately, Bajwa had to speak at the Islamabad Security Dialogue about Pakistan's strong US link as Imran Khan had alleged US involvement in a plot to unseat him.

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It may not have been a problem for the PTI government to continue in the current mode for a year or more, except for the case of Lt Gen Faiz Hameed, the former DG ISI who General Bajwa wanted to post as Corps Commander Peshawar. Imran Khan wanted him to continue as DG ISI. Hameed, with ambitions of succeeding Bajwa, wanted his proximity to Imran Khan to continue. Things came to a head on this issue; General Bajwa's own ambition of a third term continues to be significant in the power politics of Pakistan. Hameed finally moved to Peshawar but is reported to be the centre of an anti-Bajwa faction within the Army, ready to divide the force for his ambition.

Perhaps it's the Army that did not want more of Imran Khan, given his failure on every significant front. The Opposition unity involving the PPP, PML(N) and Maulana Fazl-ur-Rahman's Jamait Ulema-e-Islam (JUI) has been ensured by the Army with the intent of alternatives, but Imran has fought back by appointing PML(Q) Chief Pervez Elahi as Punjab Chief Minister instead of his his own protege and then incumbent CM Usman Buzdar. A new governor has also been appointed to appease some of the parties that are supposedly yet supporting him.

Imran Khan promised to fight to the end when he was cornered in an impending no confidence vote and upset the apple cart by recommending to the President that the National Assembly be dissolved and fresh elections be ordered. He would otherwise have been unseated, the first Pakistan PM to be defeated in the house. The case went to the Supreme Court and awaits its decision. He has quoted an international conspiracy theory against Pakistan to justify his recommendation.

It is surprising that Imran did not keep history in mind while acting as he did. Pakistan PMs tend to come back several times even after the Army has found them unacceptable at certain stages. By invoking issues and allegations that could result in charges of treason against him, Imran has opened up a Pandora's box in a nation where PMs have been known to have been executed. Living to fight another day would have been a better option instead of tangling with the Pakistan Army. Pakistan appears ripe for much more in the weeks to come. All eyes are on the Supreme Court and a potential rollback to test Opposition strength could well be on the cards.

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CHALLENGES POSED BY INSOLVENCY IN REAL ESTATE SECTOR

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Whenever a real estate project is stalled or the property developer is taken to court for default in payments, it is the homeowners—who have made deposits—who suffer. These cases have seen a sharp rise since the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code has been rolled out, giving creditors, often the lead bank, a room for a proceeding against the real estate developer in the Tribunals. The status of a homebuyer has also been alleviated to the status of the financial creditor and can bring proceedings against the alleged defaulter. But for this, vide IBC (Amendment) Act 2020, there is a de minimis threshold that has been introduced. According to the amendment, 10% of the allottees have to come together to file a petition for insolvency against the property developer under the IBC. Other remedies such as under the Consumer Protection Act remain open.

Therefore, the rights given to allottees are not without limitations. The trials at court are long, tedious and costly. Starting a petition does not guarantee a proper or desired result, leaving the depositors disappointed or hanging.

Recently, the Union Bank of India petitioned against Supertech for a default in payments. It is clear that insolvency is not usually a direct result of default of payment due to illiquidity but can also be a consequence of violation of regulations that bind the real estate developer, such as this case. This is just one of many cases; a lot of developers are either under scrutiny by the banks or the allottees (or some of them) are soon going to be declared insolvent. The Covid-19 pandemic has just exaggerated the problem in many ways, putting financial pressure on both the allottees and builders.

So the policy question is that, if there is a requirement of separate procedures for real estate insolvencies for the benefit of the allottees, should there be adequate pre-insolvency measures? Or should the preference be for pre-packs or other alternative dispute resolution procedures?

Pre-insolvency procedures should be made effective and the resolution of a company in the twilight zone should start much earlier; we should not wait for it to fail. The possibility of introducing a depositors' insurance can also be explored, which will give the depositors at least a reassurance for putting their money as an investment in real estate. Of course, the policy conditions will have to be watertight.

The problem has to be dealt with sufficient immediacy, so perhaps devising a new procedure is not possible in this area.

> This problem is not transitory and will have a wider economic impact because the big names in this area such as Jaypee and Supertech have failed/are failing. Therefore, steps are needed to protect the allottees and value of the company to tackle this problem while keeping the goals of IBC in mind

But devising a new procedure of resolving debts should not be discarded for other fields such as insolvency of banks and financial institutions.

Coming to Alternative Dispute Resolution methods that can be used, mediation is already being considered as one of the best for such disputes, absent any arbitration clause. But there is always a power imbalance in case the allottee is the one bringing the petition and not the lender.

Still, this method should be religiously considered because this will not only save a lot of costs but also a lot of time; and narrowing of the issues that the parties have, the saved costs can lead to increase in value that may be distributable according to the priorities. Since depositors are treated as financial creditors, they will have rights equivalent to those such as banks.

Pre-packs will have a debtor-in-possession model in insolvency and there is always a risk of the related party misusing this method for deliberately causing losses to the company, only to let it be bought out by a related party at an undervalue. This can be overcome by procedures such as The Administration (Restrictions on Disposal etc. to Connected Persons) Regulations 2021 that have been introduced in the UK, which qualify a substantial disposal only when consent of the creditors has been taken or an independent evaluator sends a report for the same.

There can also be different permutations and combinations of reforms in this area, like RERA could keep a check on compliance by the developers through an annual filing system and depositors should get access to the same upon request.

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That is not to say that IBC has failed in addressing the problems, but the procedure for the allottees is novel with restrictions and its efficacy is yet to be seen. While the system is tested against practical realities, the allottees who have deposited money should not be left with an outcome that is uncertain.

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Pak democracy maturing?

Pakistan Prime Minister Imran Khan has shown that his fighting spirit is not only in cricket but in politics too. His strategy of going back to the people for votes through a fresh election points to the Pak democracy possibly maturing. The opposition parties, instead of criticising the deputy speaker's decision, should also welcome the polls so that they can attempt to come to power with the help of people through the front door and not the back door as they had planned. For the world, it will be interesting to watch the nation's politics.

T Kailash Ditya, Hyderabad

Freebies bad for the nation

What is happening in Sri Lanka should serve as a lesson to politicians in our country who promise freebies to voters at the time of elections. Free electricity, water, laptops, scooters, loan waivers, etc., are common promises made to get votes. But when it comes to implementation, mobilising funds becomes difficult. Freebies are anti-development in nature, and parties should desist from promising them.

S Ravindranath, Bengaluru

Is SilverLine necessary?

This is with reference to *The time to put SilverLine project in action is now* (Apr 2). The feeble defence by the author of the proposed SilverLine project, opposed tooth and nail by the general public as it is perceived to be highly impractical, evokes only laughter. How duplicitous it is to pelt stones at the Ahmedabad bullet train project and plant stones for the Kerala one. At a time when the six-four National Highway connectivity is in the offing, the waterways poised to be a reality and the Union government is devising a faster rail corridor, is the K-Rail project that important at such humongous costs?

M Bharath Das, Mekkunnu

Stopping leakages

This is with reference to *The need for evaluation of fiscal policies* (Apr 4). The author noted that the electricity subsidy in Delhi was a bad economic idea due to leakages. We cannot categorise a scheme as good or bad due to leakages. The scheme was introduced for the welfare of the people. There are many practical difficulties while implementing it, so the administration must take note of the issues and work towards stopping the leakages. Similarly, legislators should introduce an implementation and monitoring committee to evaluate whether the policy reaches the targeted citizens effectively or not.

Prasanna P, Tiruchy

Decentralising AP

The Andhra Pradesh government has restructured the state into 26 districts and 72 revenue divisions, which is a step in the right direction to achieve the goal of administrative decentralisation. As the district is the unit of governance that links the local and state machinery, creating more such units is good. Now the government should focus on drafting district-wise plans for development in consultation with locals and policymakers.

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TWEETS OF THE DAY

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No need to say anything, the unemployment rate figures themselves tell the reality of BJP-JJP govt. See where this government has taken our Haryana.

Derek O'Brien @derekobrienmp
Open dare to 56 inch @PMOindia government. Introduce the long pending Women's Reservation Bill in Parliament Rajya Sabha this week.

Devendra Fadnavis @Dev_Fadnavis
Earlier, this government did not take conventions. If a full convention is called for this year, then the corruption of this government is hanging on the door.

It's now or never to limit global warming to 1.5°C: IPCC report

Global assessment shows that limiting the Earth's warming to around 2°C still requires global greenhouse gas emissions to peak before 2025 at the latest

RICHA SHARMA @ New Delhi

WITHOUT immediate and deep emissions reductions across all sectors, limiting global warming to 1.5 degrees C is beyond reach and this requires global greenhouse gas emissions to peak before 2025 at the latest, and be reduced by 43 per cent by 2030, said the latest series of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change's (IPCC) Sixth Assessment Report.

What is of concern is that the report highlights that even if after this, it is almost inevitable that the world will temporarily exceed this temperature threshold but can return to below it by the end of the century.

"It's now or never if we want to limit global warming to 1.5°C. Without immediate and deep emissions reductions across all sectors, it will be impossible. Action in this decade is critical to capture the mitigation potential of buildings," said IPCC Working Group III Co-Chair Jim Skea.

This assessment shows that limiting warming to around 2°C still requires global greenhouse gas emissions to peak before 2025 at the latest, and be reduced by a quarter by 2030.

The panel finds that all unabated coal-fired power plants need to be shuttered by 2050 if the world is to limit global temperature rise to 1.5c. Global use of coal would need to fall by 95 per cent by 2050 compared to 2020. As far for India, it is still in process of constructing coal power plants and none of them have the capture and store carbon technology as recommended in the report.

The report was delayed due as the rich nations wanted dilution of text on climate financing for the developing nations and small countries.

On the finance part, the report noted that annual public and private finance for climate change mitigation and adaptation rose by up to 60 per cent from 2013 to 2020 but these gains have slowed in recent years, and finance for fossil fuels still outstrips funding for climate action. "Financial flows are a factor of three to six times lower than levels needed by 2030 to limit warming to below 2°C though there is sufficient global capital and liquidity to close investment gaps," it noted.

Current climate policies and pledges are massively insufficient: If NDCs are followed to 2030, it is "likely" the world will pass 1.5C and there is no way to limit warming to 1.5C with "no or limited overshoot"

"The evidence shows that these lifestyle changes can improve our health and wellbeing," said IPCC Working Group III Co-Chair Priyadarshi Shukla.

KEY FINDINGS

2010-2019 saw the **highest increase** in average decadal emissions in human history.

Human-caused greenhouse gas emissions reached **59 GtCO2eq in 2019**, the highest level since 1990, primarily driven by fossil fuels and industry.

From 2010–2019, there have been sustained decreases in the unit costs of solar energy (85%), wind energy (55%), and lithium-ion batteries (85%), and **large increases in their deployment.**

About 34% of human emissions came from the **energy supply sector,** 24% from industry, 22% from agriculture, forestry and land use, 15% from transport and 6% from buildings.

SOURCE: Summary for Policymakers (SPM) of the IPCC Working Group III

'Climate change will affect forests'

Dehradun: Climate change will affect more than 3 lakh sq km of forest cover adversely till 2030 as per a report by the Forest Survey of India. The report, 'Mapping of Climate Change Hotspots in Indian Forests', says temperatures are set to rise by 1.5 degrees in upcoming decades. "Climate change will affect forests in multiple ways. Keeping in view the projected impact of climate change in forest areas of the country, suitable studies need to be conducted to ascertain its impact," it said, calling for charting put of strategies.

FRESH START

Chief Justice of India NV Ramana along with fellow judges took a round of the Supreme Court corridor and greeted the advocates on Monday before the commencement of proceedings. The top court has resumed hearings in physical mode after a gap of two years. The CJI had informed about the resumption of physical hearings on Friday | TWITTER

Kwatra to take over from Shringla as foreign secy

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

INDIA'S ambassador to Nepal Vinay Mohan Kwatra was appointed as the new Foreign Secretary, succeeding Harsh Vardhan Shringla who will retire at the end of this month.

Kwatra happens to be the second Indian ambassador to Nepal to get the coveted post after Shyam Saran in 2004.

The senior diplomat had served in the PMO from October 2015 to August 2017. Key diplomatic assignments in the neighbourhood are given to the IFS officers with inter-ministerial experience, sources said, adding that is how Kwatra, who was joint secretary in the PMO, was selected as the Ambassador to Nepal.

In his over 32 years of career, the 1988-batch IFS officer had stints as a Third Secretary and then Second Secretary in the Permanent Mission of India in Geneva until 1993. Apart from learning French, he handled work relating to the UN specialised agencies and the Human Rights Commission.

Between 1993 and 2003, he served as the Desk Officer at UN Headquarters and subsequently to diplomatic missions in South Africa and Uzbekistan. He served as Counsellor and later as Deputy Chief of Mission in the Indian embassy in Beijing between 2003 and 2006.

From 2006 to 2010, Kwatra represented India at the South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC) Secretariat in Nepal as the head of trade, economy and finance bureau. From May 2010 till July 2013, he served as Minister (Commerce) in Washington. Between July 2013 and October 2015, he headed Policy Planning and Research Division of the Ministry of External Affairs and also served as head of Americas Division in the MEA.

He was the Ambassador to France from August 2017 to February 2020, before taking charge as the Ambassador to Nepal in March 2020.

LEARN ABOUT 'MERITS OF DOWRY' IN B.Sc!

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

A textbook talking up the "merits" of the dowry system? Yes, a sociology textbook at that, meant for the edification of second-year B.Sc students. Rajya Sabha MP **Priyanka Chaturvedi** has drawn the attention of Union education minister Dharmendra Pradhan to it and urged him to "immediately" stop the circulation of such "regressive textbooks".

The offending section — part of the *'Textbook of Sociology for Nurses'*, by author TK Indrani — discusses the 'merits and advantages' of the dowry system. Among its listed merits: "dowry helps establish a new household" with furniture and appliances such as refrigerators, and vehicles.

The Shiv Sena leader tweeted an image of the section and tagged Pradhan. Describing the textbook as a "shame" and "derogatory." Chaturvedi said she was bringing the education minister's "immediate attention" to it.

She wrote that one of the 'so-called advantages' stated in the textbook goes thus, "Because of the burden of dowry, many parents have started educating their girls. When the girls are educated or even employed, the demand for dowry will be less. This is an indirect advantage."

"It is appalling how such derogatory and problematic text remains in circulation," she said, adding that it is a "shame for the nation and its constitution" that a textbook elaborating the merits of dowry exists in "our curriculum." "It is regrettable that we have such outdated ideas prevailing despite dowry being a criminal act. It is even more concerning that students are being exposed to such regressive content, and no action has been taken. Such reinforcement of the dowry system is oppressive and should be actioned upon immediately."

She also requested the minister "to take strict measures in this regard" and to "ensure in future such anti-women content is neither taught nor promoted, especially by the academic institutions, and that the textbooks are reviewed and approved by a panel."

CRIMINAL PROCEDURE

Lok Sabha passes Bill allowing collection of prisoners' biometrics

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

THE Lok Sabha on Monday passed the Criminal Procedure (Identification) Bill, 2022 which allow the collection, storage and analysis of physical and biological samples, including retina and iris scan, of the convicted, arrested and detained persons.

The Bill was introduced by the MoS Home Ajay Kumar Mishra and will replace the Identification of Prisoners Act.

Under the proposed law, biological samples can be forcibly collected from the convicted or persons arrested for crimes against women or children, or in case the crime attracts a minimum of seven- year jail. They can also be taken on the order of a magistrate to aid probe.

During the debate on the Bill, the opposition MPs raised concern over data protection and possible misuse of the proposed law and voiced worries over violation of the citizen's right to privacy and other fundamental rights.

> **There is a need to have a balance. Along with individual rights, we will have to think about society's rights as well, and ensure a balance between the two**
>
> Amit Shah, Union home minister

Allaying the fears, Union Home Minister Amit Shah assured them of a fool-proof mechanism which is going to be technology driven to prevent any data leak. Shah said the Bill is to deal with the new age crime where the police will be steps ahead of the criminals.

Shah said moving ahead with time "we too will have to use database".

The data, which will be stored in a protected hardware, will be shared with those who send samples (for matching). "We have to try to take criminal justice system to the next era," Shah added. If required, amendments will be made.

Replying to another query regarding persons detained under any preventive law, Shah said they could refuse to give the samples. Also no narco-analysis or brain-mapping test would be conducted without the person's consent.

The reason for bringing this law, the minister said, is to improve the conviction rate.

Amazon, Future agree to arbitration in Singapore

New Delhi: The Supreme Court on Monday noted that Future Retail Limited and Amazon LLC Holding have agreed to the arbitration proceedings at Singapore International Arbitration Centre (SIAC). "Both the parties have agreed to appear before SIAC. We request the tribunal to expedite the proceeding. Parties to file a joint memo by Tuesday. Intervention application by Bank of India permitted to be withdrawn without prejudice to rights," the bench headed by Chief Justice said.

SC reserves order on plea challenging Lakhimpur bail

New Delhi: The Supreme Court reserved its order on the Special Leave Petition (SLP) filed by the family members of the victims of the Lakhimpur Kheri violence against the Allahabad High Court's order which had granted bail to Ashish Mishra, son of Union minister Ajay Mishra. Senior advocate Dushyant Dave and advocate Prashant Bhushan appearing for the farmers while arguing for cancellation of bail said the high court failed to consider certain aspects.

Terror angle in temple attack under scanner too

NAMITA BAJPAI @ Lucknow

THE Uttar Pradesh Anti-Terrorism Squad (ATS) will probe the attack on policemen at the Gorakhnath temple.

The decision was announced after the security set-up of the shrine was reviewed at a high-level meeting convened by UP Additional Chief Secretary, Home, Awanish Awasthi on Monday.

The attack had taken place when a man armed with a knife tried to forcibly enter the heavily guarded temple premises on late Sunday night, injuring two constables. The video of the attack at the gate of the temple went viral on the social media.

"The attack on the PAC personnel in Gorakhnath temple is part of a conspiracy. It can be called a terror incident. UP ATS has been given the responsibility of its investigation," Awasthi told a press briefing.

The UP Special Task Force (STF) will also coordinate with the ATS in the investigation.

Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath announced an award of ₹5 lakh each to the three constables who foiled the attack, said Awasthi.

According to Gorakhpur range deputy inspector general (DIG) J Ravinder Goud, the attacker had been hospitalised as he was injured in the scuffle with the cops.

Police sources confirmed that the attacker identified as Ahmad Murtaza Abbasi, a chemical engineer who passed out from IIT-Bombay in 2015, was overpowered by a group of security personnel after over 10 minutes. Later, he was taken to hospital for treatment.

Prashant Kumar, Additional Director General, Law and Order, said that the three security personnel would be given a cash reward and that their names would be recommended for the Shaurya Award.

"The investigation was handed over to the ATS to ascertain if there is any conspiracy behind the incident. ... We are not denying any possibility at the moment. We are also not ruling out terror angle," he said.

FOUNDATION DAY

PM to virtually address BJP workers

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

THE Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) has chalked out a week-long nationwide range of activities to highlight the Modi government works on the occasion of the party's 42nd foundation day scheduled on April 6.

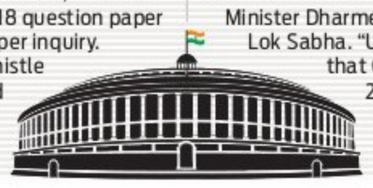
The activities on the foundation day will commence with Prime Minister Narendra Modi's virtual address to the party workers in which he is supposed to be asking the party workers to reach out to the poor people of SC, ST and other extremely backward communities living in rural areas.

"The celebrations, starting on the day of party's foundation day on April 6, will conclude on April 14 — the birthday of BR Ambedkar. Prime Minister Narendra Modi will address the party workers through a virtual platform," said BJP's national media incharge Anil Baluni.

Earlier at a meeting, the PM had asked all the MPs to reach out to the poor people in their constituencies and highlighting the schemes launched by the central government.

SP MEMBER SEEKS PROBE INTO PAPER LEAK

New Delhi: SP member Danish Ali raised the issue of leak of the Class 12 English exam paper in Uttar Pradesh and demanded a probe into it. Raising the matter during the Zero Hour, Ali said in the last five years there have been instances of 18 question paper leaks, but the state government is not doing a proper inquiry. "Paper leak mafias have political protection, whistle blowers are being pressured and an inquiry is held against them," Ali said, demanding a "special investigation" be initiated into the matter.



24 STUDENT SUICIDES IN CENTRAL VARSITIES

New Delhi: Twenty-four cases of suicide by students were reported in Central Universities in last five years, with the maximum of cases from Uttar Pradesh. The information was shared by Union Education Minister Dharmendra Pradhan in response to a written question in Lok Sabha. "University Grants Commission (UGC) has informed that Central Universities under its purview have reported 24 suicide cases of students from the year 2017 to 2022. The reasons of suicide by students are not maintained," Pradhan said.

The health of pocket? Ask 55 mn pushed to penury

KAVITA BAJELI-DATT @ New Delhi

HOUSEHOLD Out-Of-Pocket (OOP) expenses on health services, especially medicines, continue to push over 55 million people in India into poverty, with over 18 per cent of households incurring catastrophic levels of health expenditures annually, says a WHO report.

Despite India's billing as the 'pharmacy of the world,' its population's access to medicines is severely restricted as nearly 65 per cent of all health spending is in the form of OOP spending by households, two-thirds of it on drugs.

The report, released on March 30, said sustained underfunding of public sector facilities and the rapid growth of private sector providers contributed to rising OOP costs on health care. A significant share, almost two-thirds of OOP expenses, are for purchasing outpatient care, especially medicines.

Citing Tamil Nadu Medical Services Corporation (TNMSC) as an "excellent example" for developing an innovative centralised procurement system alongside a decentralised distribution mechanism, the report said a reasonable share of government spending goes for medicines procurement, primarily essential generic medicines, which evidence has shown has helped in controlling OOP expenditure on medicines.

States like Rajasthan, Kerala have followed the model and have achieved similar gains, it added. However, the report said Tamil Nadu needs to expand its basket of medicines to cover non-communicable diseases and other chronic conditions.

Dr. Sakthivel Selvaraj, the lead writer of the report, said government spending must be accelerated to 2-2.5 per cent of GDP and minimum 15 per cent of government spending on healthcare must be spent on medicine procurement, especially generic medicines.

TEEN KILLED BY LOVER

A teenage girl was allegedly killed by her boyfriend in Jharkhand's Pakur district after she refused to return a smartphone he had gifted her, police said on Monday

108 DEATHS — DUE TO TIGER ATTACKS IN INDIA IN 2019-21: GOVT

INDIA	Max	Min		Max	Min
Ahmedabad	41	24	Mumbai	33	28
Bhopal	41	24	Panaji	31	27
Jaipur	39	24	Patna	41	22
Amritsar	36	18	Lucknow	41	24
Chennai	36	28	Port Blair	31	26
Kolkata	33	27	Imphal	30	16
Srinagar	27	08	Chandigarh	44	22

Akhilesh's uncle looking at greener pastures in BJP?

Buzz on deputy speaker's post; tweets line in praise of Lord Ram

NAMITA BAJPAI @ Lucknow

SHIVPAL Yadav, the estranged uncle of Samajwadi Party chief Akhilesh Yadav, has kept everyone guessing about his next move, but has been giving enough hints.

Amid speculations that the BJP in Uttar Pradesh may anoint the Pragatisheel Samajwadi Party Lohia chief as deputy speaker of state Assembly, Shivpal tweeted a *chaupai* (couplet) from Ramcharitmanas on Monday, created a buzz in the political corridors.

Through his tweet, the PSP-L chief described Lord Ram as the best teacher for family and nation building, whipping up speculation of his switch to the BJP. Yadav may visit Hanumangarhi and Ram Lalla in Ayodhya, sources in his party said.

On the occasion of Chaitra Navratri, Shivpal Yadav tweeted, "Chaitra Navratri is a moment of faith as well as a moment to connect with the ideals of Lord Rama."

Earlier, Yadav had followed PM Narendra Modi and Uttar Pradesh CM Yogi Adityanath on Twitter, along with former deputy CM Dinesh Sharma.

A deputy speaker is usually elected from the opposition party and sits next to the leader of the Opposition in the assembly. If this happens, Yadav might sit next to his nephew and Samajwadi Party (SP) chief Akhilesh Yadav.

Shivpal contested the recent elections on the SP symbol from his traditional Jaswantnagar seat in Etawah district. Last week, Yadav met Yogi at his official residence in Lucknow for about 20 minutes. Sources close to Yadav said the PSP-L chief may make some big announcement of leaving his tie-up with SP soon.

On the other, as per political experts, if Shivpal switches over to the BJP or even if his party joins NDA, the Samajwadi Party may received dent on its traditional Yadav vote bank as Shivpal is considered to have a strong backing of Yadavs for he has played an important role in laying the foundation of Samajwadi Party along with big brother Mulayam Singh Yadav.

"Shivpal has given his blood and sweat to the SP and nurturing the party to this level. He has a strong following among the Yadav community, which includes a tinge of sympathy over the treatment he received from nephew and SP chief Akhilesh Yadav," says Prof AK Mishra, a political scientist.

Political experts believe the PSP-L chief can dent the SP's chances in 2024, the way he had in 2019 general elections.

Though his party could not perform well, it managed to eat into the Yadav votebank leading to the defeat of SP candidates belonging to Yadav clan in their strongholds. Akshay Yadav, son of Ram Gopal Yadav, was defeated in Firozabad, Dharmendra Yadav in Badaun.

LOOKING FOR OPPORTUNE TIME TO SPEAK

Rift in SP first family is out in the open as Shivpal Yadav has been unhappy with Akhilesh over being ignored and not invited o SPLP meeting last month. Shivpal has since been saying that he would open his mouth about his future course of action at an opportune time.

MUMBAI POLL

Buzz on BJP joining hands with MNS

SUDHIR SURYAWANSHI @ Mumbai

UNION Minister Nitin Gadkari's meeting with Maharashtra Navnirman Sena (MNS) chief Raj Thackeray has increased speculations of both the parties coming together ahead of the Brihanmumbai Municipal Corporation (BMC) polls that are scheduled later this year.

However, Nitin Gadkari termed it his personal visit to Raj Thackeray's residence in Mumbai. Sources close to Raj Thackeray said that he has made up his mind to ally with BJP to review the dwindling prospect of the MNS.

However, as per a BJP source, Raj Thackeray's earlier opposition to north Indians could plague the possible future alliance. "BJP is concerned and worried about its north Indian vote bank. Thackeray's earlier anti-north India stand is coming as an obstacle to the alliance between the two parties," the source said.

'ED will come after you if...'

New Delhi: Maharashtra BJP unit President Chandrakant Patil has warned voters in Kolhapur North ahead of the by elections that the Enforcement Directorate will probe bank accounts of those taking money from Congress candidates. Patil said that the ED will probe the source sums as low as `1,000. He said will write to ED and ask them to investigate the alleged transfer of `1,000 each into accounts of voters in the Kolhapur North Assembly constituency.

Delhi's Deputy CM Manish Sisodia felicitates former Ashok Tanwar on his induction into the AAP in Delhi | PTI

ON AN AAP-SWING WITH NEW ENTRIES, EXPANDING BASE

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

THE Aam Aadmi Party's spectacular victory in Punjab has not only fuelled its national ambitions but is also swelling its ranks, with disgruntled leaders from other parties as well as retired professionals viewing it as a viable option for furthering their political ambitions.

The latest to join the Arvind Kejriwal-led party are former IPS officer of Karnataka cadre B Bhaskar Rao and former Congress leader from Haryana Ashok Tanwar.

Rao's entry comes at a time when the AAP is gearing up for Karnataka Assembly elections scheduled next year and also for the Greater Bengaluru Municipal Corporation polls this year. The party hopes the popularity of a "well-connected" person like him will help it get a foothold in the southern state.

Tanwar, former MP from Sirsa, had quit the Congress in 2019. He has been Haryana Congress chief and has also served as president of the Indian Youth Congress and its student wing, the National Student Union of India. The AAP expects Tanwar's joining would help the party strengthen its vote base in Haryana before the 2024 assembly elections. "My roots go back to Haryana. So, I am delighted to see our Haryana unit get strengthened. I hope that in the coming days, the AAP will form the government in the state, too," said Kejriwal.

The power corridors in the national capital are abuzz with speculations on another senior Congress leader joining the AAP. It is learnt that the leader, who has held prominent positions in the UPA government, has been in touch with the AAP leadership for quite some time and is likely to take a decision soon.

Another shot in the arm came for the AAP in the form of an internal survey in Gujarat, which has predicted 58 seats for the party in the Assembly elections scheduled in December. Sandeep Pathak, AAP in-charge for Gujarat, on Monday said the survey was done in a scientific manner and shows the party is likely to get votes from rural voters and from lower and middle class segments in urban areas.

"The people of rural Gujarat feel the Congress cannot defeat the BJP. The Congress voters of rural Gujarat are voting for us. This is the case as on today. And I expect that as polls come near, our tally will increase," said Pathak, who is credited as the main architect of the party's Punjab success.

J&K UPDATES

CRPF jawan killed, two migrants shot at

FAYAZ WANI @ Srinagar

A CRPF jawan was killed and another critically injured in a militant attack in Srinagar while a Kashmiri Pandit shopkeeper and two migrant labourers were shot at and injured by militants in two separate attacks in south Kashmir on Monday. Army, meanwhile, said troops foiled an infiltration bid along the Line of Control (LoC) in Rajouri by killing a militant.

Militants fired on two CRPF men at Maisuma area of uptown Srinagar in the afternoon. Both the jawans received critical gunshot wounds and were evacuated to nearby hospital, where Head Constable Vishal Kumar succumbed to injuries. The doctors have termed condition of another injured jawan ASI Niranjan as critical. Unconfirmed reports said militants fired from motor bike.

Delimitation panel meets stakeholders

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Srinagar

ON the first day of its two-day visit, the Delimitation Commission — tasked to redraw the assembly and parliamentary constituencies in Jammu and Kashmir — met civil society members and representatives of political parties in Jammu on Monday. The panel members will interact with politicians and public in Srinagar on Tuesday to seek suggestions and objections on its draft proposal.

The Delimitation Commission led by Justice (Retd) Ranjana Prakash Desai met with people and civil society members from Kathua, Udhampur, Doda, Ramban, Kishtwar, Rajouri and Poonch, Reasi, Samba and Jammu districts.

The panel in its report proposed six additional Assembly seats for Jammu region and only one for Kashmir. It has also proposed deletion and creation of many Assembly seats in Kashmir and Jammu and included border districts of Poonch and Rajouri with Anantnag-Pulwama Lok Sabha seat in south Kashmir.

DANGEROUS TURN

A car stuck in debris on the blocked NH-40 in Meghalaya, which connects Shillong and Dawki, after landslides due to incessant rains hit the state on Monday | PTI

IndiGo pilots upset with 8% pay hike after 28% cut

YESHI SELI @ New Delhi

PILOTS of India's largest passenger airline, IndiGo, are disappointed over the recent 8 per cent salary hike announced by the airline. They were expecting the restoration of the 28 per cent cut, that was imposed two years back.

"Around 28 per cent of our salary was cut during the pandemic, instead of restoring it to the pre-pandemic level they have given us a 8 per cent hike which is 20 per cent short of our original salary," said a pilot on condition of anonymity.

IndiGo had recently announced 8 per cent hike in the salary of the pilots, with effect from April 1. They also said, if the flights weren't disrupted the pilots could expect another 6.5 per cent hike in November.

It is learnt that as a punitive action, a few pilots have been derostered for voicing their disappointment and an explanation is also being sought from them. IndiGo, when contacted, refrained from making any comment.

"This increment of 8 per cent has demoralised us rather than raising our spirits. Almost all of us are back to 100 per cent of our pre-covid rostered hours and duty periods," said a pilot.

Similar views of disappointment have been replicated by many other pilots.

HUMANITY ABOVE ALL

Hero cop runs through flames to save baby from burning house

RAJESH ASNANI @ Jaipur

AMID the grim reports of communal tension and violence from Rajasthan's Karauli district comes a heartening piece of news. A policeman has emerged as a hero for saving a child from a house on fire.

When constable Netresh Sharma, 31, saw a child weeping inside the house that had been set ablaze by a mob, he rushed inside, took the child and rushed out. In the process, also helped three women who were trapped flee to safety.

A picture of him with a child in his arms amid burning houses is going viral on social media. The Rajasthan government and police are also hailing the heroic act of the constable.

CM Ashok Gehlot spoke to him appreciating his bravery and humanism in risking his life to save others.

The house was set afire during the riots and arson in Karauli on Saturday. Trapped inside, the four-year-old child, his mother and two other women were crying for help. The mother had the baby in her lap. She had wrapped him in a cloth to save him from the flames.

When Sharma saw them, immediately ran into the house through the flames. "Four lives were about to perish before my eyes. Even if I lost my life, it was my duty to save them at any cost. There was no time to think about what would happen to my own life!"

Netresh says he will never forget the terror on the faces of the child and the women. "When I reached the house, the three women and the child were in a bad condition. I took the child in my lap and told the women that to come after me. I brought to safety about 20 meters away from the burning house and handed the child back to his mother."

Netresh Sharma carrying the child in his arms and running to safety

STATE ROUND-UP

J&K

After Northeast, will Valley breathe easy?

New Delhi: Speculation is rife over the possibility of lifting of AFSPA from some parts of Jammu and Kashmir after the law was partially removed from three Northeastern states - Nagaland, Assam and Arunachal Pradesh. Under the AFSPA, a geographical location is declared as disturbed area to facilitate operations of the armed forces.

MAHARASHTRA

Samiti to step up stir for separate Vidarbha

New Delhi: In a bid to step up pressure on the Centre, activists under the Vidarbha Rajya Andolan Samitiare set to stage a sit-in demonstration in the national capital demanding carving out a separate Vidarbha state from Maharashtra.

UTTAR PRADESH

SP legislator booked for threatening Yogi

Lucknow: Samajwadi Party MLA from Bhojipura Assembly seat, Shazil Islam, and some other party leaders have been booked for allegedly threatening Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath and making provocative statements against him, police said on Monday.

MIZORAM

Cong to draw blank in '23 polls: Mizoram CM

Aizawl: Mizoram Chief Minister Zoramthanga Monday said on Congress has increasingly lost its influence both at the Centre and the state and will fail to win even a single seat in the 2023 assembly poll in Mizoram. Zoramthanga, who is also the president of ruling Mizo National Front, claimed that the party will retain power in the state election.

Payments hiked under rural job scheme

Uttarakhand has increased payments for workers under MGNREGS from `209 to `213. This will directly benefit 12.49 lakh job card holders. Programme executive director for the state, S Murugeshan said, "The increment has been effective from April 1, 2022 and will benefit more around 12.49 job card holders." Nearly 50 per cent of this workforce are women. Last year, the government had increased the number of working days guaranteed per year to the poor under MGNREGS from 100 to 150. Shockingly, even engineering graduates, diploma and Masters degree holders have applied for manual jobs under the rural employment scheme.

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DEHRADUN DIARY

Litfest celebrating storytelling culture concludes

To celebrate the culture of reading, storytelling, and poetry rendition among Doon residents, the fourth edition of the Dehradun Literature Festival was held between April 1 and 3 at Hyatt Regency and the riverside campus of the Doon International School. This year's DLF featured a line-up of panelists, including Tusshar Kapoor, Sonu Nigam, Malini Awasthy, Imtiaz Ali, Tahira Kashyap, Vivek Agnihotri, Pallavi Joshi, Praladh Kakkar, Piyush Pandey, Jonathan Gill Harris, Ian Cardozo, Madhavi Menon, Saeed Naqvi, Deepam Chatterjee, Kiran Manral, Subhash Garg, Nayanika Mahtani and many more authors and eminent personalities all around the country.

U'Khand in top three for encroachment of forests

Uttarakhand ranks third among nine Himalayan states in India when it comes to encroachment of forests. A total of 10649.11 hectares of fursat land in Uttarakhand is under encroachment, revealed the data shared by the union government recently in the Parliament session. Union territories of Jammu and Kashmir top the list with 16,512.39 hectares of forest encroached upon followed by Mizoram with 10,852.80 hectare and Uttarakhand (10,649.11). An RTI reply in October 2019 revealed that about 12,81,397 hectares of India's forests were under encroachment. Himachal Pradesh ranks fourth.

42,15,047
Ukrainians have fled the country since the war began on February 24, up 38,646 from Sunday

GLOBAL WEATHER
LR: Light Rain • HR: Heavy Rain • SW: Snow • TDS: Thundershower • LC: Light Cloud • SNY: Sunny

Beijing	26	7	SNY	Los Angeles	22	14	SNY
Colombo	29	25	TDS	Melbourne	19	14	LC
Dhaka	35	25	SNY	Moscow	4	1	LC
Dubai	35	22	SNY	New York	12	8	HR
Houston	32	20	LC	Singapore	31	25	TDS
Istanbul	14	7	LR	Toronto	7	5	LR
London	15	9	LC	Washington	18	12	LR

Pakistan's opposition leaders Shehbaz Sharif (right) and Bilawal Bhutto Zardari speak during a press conference in Islamabad on Monday | AFP

Rejection of no-trust vote: Pak SC adjourns hearing for one day

ISLAMABAD

PAKISTAN'S Supreme Court adjourned on Monday without ruling on Prime Minister Imran Khan's shock decision to dissolve parliament and call a snap election, sidestepping a no-confidence vote that would have seen him booted from office.

The court, which will sit again Tuesday, received a slew of suits and petitions from the government and opposition after the deputy speaker of the national assembly refused on Sunday to allow debate on a no-confidence motion against Khan's administration.

Simultaneously, Khan asked the presidency to dissolve the assembly, meaning an election must be held within 90 days.

According to the constitution, the PM cannot ask for the assembly to be dissolved while he is facing a no-confidence vote.

Farooq Naek, a lawyer representing petitioners seeking to overturn the assembly dissolution, told the supreme court it wasn't in the "power and ambit" of the deputy speaker to reject the no-confidence motion.

"It was a constitutional irregularity coupled with 'mala fide'," he said. The opposition had expected to take power on Sunday after mustering enough votes to oust Khan, but the deputy speaker, a member of the ruling PTI, refused to allow the motion to proceed because of alleged "foreign interference".

An alliance of usually feuding dynastic parties had plotted for weeks to unravel the tenuous coalition that made Khan premier in 2018, but he claimed they went too far by colluding with the United States for "regime change".

Khan insists he has evidence of Washington's involvement, although local media have reported it was merely a briefing letter from Pakistan's ambassador following a meeting with a senior US official.

A notice Monday from President Arif Alvi to Khan and opposition leader Shehbaz Sharif said they should agree on a new interim prime minister, but Sharif declined to cooperate. "How can we respond to a letter written by a person who has abrogated the constitution?" he told a press conference on Monday.

Fawad Chaudhry, information minister, tweeted that Khan had proposed former chief justice Gulzar Ahmad for the role. *AFP*

Sri Lanka Oppn rejects unity govt offer

Calls it nonsensical, demands President's resignation; Police fire tear gas and water cannon to quell protests

COLOMBO

SRI LANKA'S opposition on Monday dismissed the president's invitation to join a unity government as "nonsensical" and instead demanded he resign over the country's worsening shortages of food, fuel and medicines.

President Gotabaya Rajapaksa's overture came as armed troops looked to quell more demonstrations over what the government acknowledges is the country's most severe economic crisis since independence from Britain in 1948.

Police fired tear gas and water cannon to disperse thousands of protesters trying to storm the private home of prime minister Mahinda Rajapaksa -- the president's elder brother and the head of the family political clan -- in Tangalle, once a bastion of support for the Rajapaksas in the island's south.

Sri Lankans protest demanding President Gotabaya Rajapaksa's resignation in Colombo on Monday | AP/PTI

The president asked opposition parties represented in parliament to "join the effort to seek solutions to the national crisis," after the late-night resignation of nearly all cabinet ministers to pave the way for a revamped administration.

But the leftist Jana Vimukti Perumuna (JVP), or People's Liberation Front, responded by urging Gotabaya Rakapaksa and his once popular and powerful family to immediately step down.

"He really must be a lunatic to think that opposition MPs will prop up a government that is crumbling," JVP lawmaker Anura Dissanayake told reporters in Colombo.

The main minority opposition party, the Tamil National Alliance (TNA), also dismissed the idea of their joining a Rajapaksa-led administration.

"His offer to reconstitute the cabinet with opposition MPs is nonsensical and infuriates the people who have been demanding his resignation," TNA spokesman and lawmaker Abraham Sumanthiran said.

The main opposition Samagi Jana Balawegaya (SJB) party made no formal statement, but its leader Sajith Premadasa vowed on Sunday that it would not join any government featuring members of Rajapaksa's family. Every member of Sri Lanka's cabinet except the president and his elder brother, Prime Minister Mahinda Rajapaksa, resigned late on Sunday.

The country's central bank governor Ajith Cabraal — who has long opposed the International Monetary Fund bailout now being sought by the country — also stepped down on Monday. *AFP*

Russia faces growing outrage as new evidence of atrocities emerges

BUCHA

RUSSIA faced a fresh wave of condemnation on Monday after evidence emerged of what appeared to be deliberate killings of civilians in Ukraine.

Some Western leaders called for further sanctions in response, even as Moscow continued to press its offensive in the country's east. Germany's defence minister suggested the European Union discuss a ban on Russian gas imports, but more senior officials indicated an immediate boycott was not possible ' a sign that leaders could struggle in the short-term to ramp up already severe sanctions on Russia.

Ukrainian officials said the bodies of 410 civilians were found in towns around capital Kyiv that were recaptured from Russian forces in recent days.

In Bucha, northwest of the capital, Associated Press journalists saw 21 bodies.

One group of nine, all in civilian clothes, were scattered around a site that residents said Russian troops used as a base. They appeared to have been shot at close range. At least two had their hands tied behind their backs. In Motyzhyn, to the west of Kyiv, Associated Press journalists saw the bodies of four people who appeared to have been shot at close range and thrown into a pit. Residents said the mayor, her son, and her husband, who had been bound and blindfolded, were among them.

The images of battered corpses lying in the streets or hastily dug graves unleashed a wave of outrage that could signal a turning point in the nearly six-week-old war.

However, sanctions have thus far failed to halt the offensive, and rising energy prices along with tight controls on the Russian currency market have blunted their impact, with the ruble rebounding strongly after initially crashing.

Western and Ukrainian leaders have accused Russia of war crimes before, and the International Criminal Court's prosecutor has opened a probe to investigate the conflict, but the latest reports ratcheted up the condemnation even further, with Ukraine's President Volodymyr Zelenskyy and some Western leaders going so far as to accuse Russia of genocide.

In a video shown during the Grammy Awards in Las Vegas for musicians and other artists, Zelenskyy implored them to support his nation and 'fill the silence with your music'.

Russian Foreign Minister Sergey Lavrov rejected the allegations, describing the scenes outside Kyiv as a 'stage-managed anti-Russian provocation'. *AP*

IN THE COURT OF THE CITY CIVIL AND DISTRICT SESSION JUDGE AT BANGALORE, CCH-84
Commercial Case No. O.S. 691/2021

BETWEEN:
Plaintiff: The UNION BANK OF INDIA, Chandra Layout Branch, No.1234, 8th Cross, 1st Stage, 2 Phase, Chandra Layout, Bangalore-560040
/vs/
Defendants : Mr. Manjunatha M

Summons to defendant

To,
Mr. Manjunatha M, aged 37 years, S/o. Sri Mahadeva, R/o No. 42/12, ESI ``C" Quarters, Nandini Layout, Bangalore - 560 096.

Please take summons that the plaintiff Bank has filed suit against you the defendants for Recovery of suit claim amount of **Rs.8,62,413-00** with interest at 10.15% Per annum compounded monthly rest from the date of suit till the date of realization of decretal amount and such other relief.
You the defendants hereby summoned to appear before this Hon'ble court **on 27-05-2022 at 11-00 A.M.** in person or through Advocate to submit your written statement and objections if any to the claim of the plaintiff, failing which you will be placed exparte and the suit will be disposed off in your absence, in accordance with law.
Given under my hand and the seal of the Hon'ble court on this **01-04-2022.**

By Orders of the Court
Sd/-Sheristedar
City Civil Court, Bengaluru.

Advocates for Plaintiff
Sri N.G. Ravi Kumar,
Sri.Rohith R Kumar,
No.4323, 17th Main, Behind Martin Luther School, Near Viveknanda Park, Girinagar IV Phase, Bangalore 560050.

IN THE COURT OF THE CITY CIVIL AND DISTRICT SESSION JUDGE AT BANGALORE, CCH-83
Commercial Case No. O.S. 690/2021

BETWEEN:
Plaintiff: The UNION BANK OF INDIA, Chandra Layout Branch, No.1234, 8th Cross, 1st Stage, 2 Phase, Chandra Layout, Bangalore-560040
/vs/
Defendants : Mr. Satish Kumar H

Summons to defendants

To,
Mr. Satish kumar H, aged 30 years, S/o. Sri Hanumanthaiah, R/o No. 513, 1st Main road, 1st Cross, L.G. Ramanna Layout, Leggeri, Bangalore 560 058.

Please take summons that the plaintiff Bank has filed suit against you the defendants for Recovery of suit claim amount of **Rs.13,77,871/-** with interest at 8.5% Per annum compounded monthly rest from the date of suit till the date of realization of decretal amount and such other relief.
You the defendants hereby summoned to appear before this Hon' ble court **on 01-06-2022 at 11-00 A.M.** in person or through Advocate to submit your written statement and objections if any to the claim of the plaintiff, failing which you will be placed exparte and the suit will be disposed off in your absence, in accordance with law.
Given under my hand and the seal of the Hon'ble court on this **01-04-2022.**

By Orders of the Court
Sd/-Sheristedar
City Civil Court, Bengaluru.

Advocates for Plaintiff
Sri N.G. Ravi Kumar,
Sri.Rohith R Kumar,
No.4323, 17th Main, Behind Martin Luther School, Near Viveknanda Park, Girinagar IV Phase, Bangalore 560050.

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client has intended to purchase the Schedule Property from its owner **KUMARI H.S.** Sai Siri Vajra, D/o. Late Srinivasa Reddy H.N., being minor represented by her mother and Natural Guardian Mrs. Mamatha B.N. The said owner has represented that she is the absolute owner of the Schedule Property and apart from her, no other person/s, having any right, title or interest over the Schedule Property. She further represented that the Schedule Property has not been mortgaged or charged to anybody else by her to any third person/s or financial institutions. Any person/s, having any claim, interest or right over the Schedule Property may contact or write to the undersigned with documentary proof to substantiate such claim/s or interest within Fifteen (15) days from the date of this publication. In the absence of any such claim or objection within the stipulated time, it will be construed that there is no one having any claims or objection on the Schedule Property and my client will proceed with the sale transaction.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

ITEM NO. 1 : All that piece and parcel of Site No. 43, Property No. 57/2, Old Property No. 57 & Property No. 52/6, Old Property No. 52/3, situated at Huralichikkanahalli Village, Hessaraghatta Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore measuring East to West: on the Northern Side 50 Feet 6 Inches, on the Southern Side 47 Feet and North to South: 30 Feet, in all measuring 1462.5 Sq. Ft and bounded on the; **East by :** Private Property, **West by:** 30 Feet Road, **North by:** Site No. 42, **South by:** Site No. 44 (the item No. 2 herein)

ITEM NO. 2 : All that piece and parcel of Site No. 44, Property No. 57/2, Old Property No. 57 & Property No. 52/6, Old Property No. 52/3, situated at Huralichikkanahalli Village, Hessaraghatta Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore measuring East to West: on the Northern Side 47 Feet, on the Southern Side 43 Feet 6 Inches and North to South: 30 Feet, in all measuring 1357.5 Sq. Ft and bounded on the; **East by :** Private Property, **West by:** 30 Feet Road, **North by:** Site No. 43, (the item No. 1 herein), **South by:** Site No. 45 Bangalore

H. NAGESH, ADVOCATE,
No. 46, 'Z' Plaza, 2nd Main, Opposite to Anand, Co-Operative Bank,Sheshadripuram, Bangalore-20. **Mob: 9902201565**

PUBLIC NOTICE

My clients **Smt. Mumtaz Begum,** D/o Late Mohammed Hanif, and Abdul Sattar Mohiaddin, S/o. Late Syed Khawja Mohiaddin are the absolute owners of the property mentioned in the schedule hereunder and have got a clear and marketable title over the said property. further it is also inform to the public in general that Sri. Abdul Shukoor, Mohammed Riyaz, Mohammed Rasheed, and Mohammed Shabber all are sons of Late Mohammeds Jaffar, had raised a false claim over the below mentioned schedule property in **Writ Petition bearing No.51753 of 2016, and Writ Petitions No.57129 to 57131 of 2016** against my Clients before the Hon'ble High court of Karnataka at Bangalore and the Hon'ble High court of Karnataka at Bangalore after considering the objections and title documents of My clients was pleased to pass an order vide its order dated 09-07-2019 has rejected the false claim of the above said four person and thereby dismissed their above said writ petitions. Thus the public are hereby inform and intimate not to deal or entertain the above said persons in respect of the above said property and my clients as stated supra are the absolute owners in possession and enjoyment of the schedule mentioned property. Thus except my clients, no other person or person have got any kind of claims/right/interest in respect of the below mentioned schedule property. further in furtherance of this intimation and information my clients have learnt from reliable sources that the above said parties and their agents are trying to negotiate and are trying to create charge over the property or portion of property belong to my clients illegally. Thus if anyone found to have dealt or entertain or try to enter in to any kind of document/s with the above said person they will be doing so at their own cost and risk and my clients are not liable for any such illegal transactions/s.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel property bearing property corporation new No.38/8, with BBMP PID No.69-1-38/8, measuring East to West 20 feet and North to South 45 feet Totally measuring 900 square feet situated at Bazar Street, Neelasandra, Bangalore _ 560047, BBMP Ward No.69, New Ward No.115, now known as Central Street, Masjid Road, Neelasandra Bangalore - 560047.and bounded on the :- **East by :** House, **West by :** House, **North by :** Road, **South by :** Lane.

AFZAL KHAN, Advocate
No.120/12, 2nd Floor, New MM Complex, Chikka Bazar Road, Tasker Town, Bangalore - 51.

IN THE COURT OF HON'BLE 5th ADDITIONAL PRL. JUDGE, FAMILY COURT AT BENGALURU
Crl. Misc. No. 477 / 2020

BETWEEN: Mrs. Nikitha .C.R ...Petitioner
AND: Mr. Aiyappa .M.B ...Responder

SUMMONS BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION TO THE RESPONDENT

Mr. Aiyappa .M.B S/o Mr. Bheemaiah, Aged about 34 years, R/o #20/1, Elegant Prabha, GF 001, 6th Cross, Gurumurtpa Garden, J.P Nagar, 1st Phase, Bangalore-560078.

Whereas, the petitioner has filed a case claiming maintenance under Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, the Marriage dated: 18.12.2019 at Kodava Samaj, Ponnampet, between both of you, by way of passing the Judgment and Decree under Section 125(1)(a)(b) to be passed in the favour of the Petitioner, directing the respondent to pay the necessary amount mentioned in the prayer of the above petition. You are hereby directed to appear before this Hon'ble Court in person or through an advocate **on 18/05/2022** at Hon'ble 5th Additional Principal Judge, Family Court Complex, Siddaiah Road, Bangalore to answer as to why relief prayed for should not be granted failing which the petition will be disposed as ex-parte.

Given under my hand and seal of the court, this 07.03.2022.

By Order of the Court, Sheristedar, Family Court, Bangalore.

Advocate for Applicant :
Sri KAPIL DIXIT, Advocate
No.210-212, B Wing, Mittal Tower, MG Road, Bengaluru - 560 001.

PUBLIC NOTICE

One of my clients is intending to purchase the properties morefully described in the schedule herein below from 1. Mr. B.R. Manjunatha, S/o. Ramaiah Shetty .B.M. 2. Mr. Venkateshappa.C, S/o. Chinnappa, 3. Mr. E.Muniraju, S/o. Late. Erappa, 4. Mr. Panduranga Shankarappa Kambale, S/o. Shankarappa Kambale, 5. Mr. C. Nagaraju @ Nagaraja, S/o. Chokkappa, 6. Mr. H.G. Prakash, S/o. B.H. Gopalaswamy, 7. Mr. Y. Venkataram @ Venkataramappa, S/o. Late. Yalappa, 8. Mr. Nayana Padiyar, W/o. N.N. Padiyar, 9. Mrs. Pushpadevi, W/o. Man Mal Lunia and 10. Mr. Jitendra Jain, S/o. H. Lal Chand as they claim that they are the absolute owners in possession of the properties and the same are free from all encumbrances, charges, claims or demands of whatsoever nature.

Any person/s having objection to the said transaction may lodge their objection/s supported by cogent documents with the undersigned within SEVEN DAYS from the date of this notice. If no objection/s is/are raised within the said period, my client would go ahead with the sale transaction in respect of the Property below mentioned deeming there is/are no objection/s to the same.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

ALL THAT piece and parcel of immovable agriculture land bearing

Sy.No.110/1 measuring 02:11 (A/G), Sy.No.112/1 measuring 00:37 (A/G), Sy.No.112/2 measuring 01:00 (A/G), Sy.No.113/1 measuring 01:00 (A/G), Sy.No.113/2 measuring 01:00 (A/G), Sy.No.113/3 measuring 01:33 (A/G), Sy.No.118/1 measuring 01:20 (A/G), Sy.No.118/2 measuring 00:20 (A/G), Sy.No.118/3 measuring 00:20 (A/G), Sy.No.118/4 measuring 01:20 (A/G) & Sy.No.130/1 measuring 01:32 (A/G) of **Raghunathpura Village,** Kasaba Hobli, Doddaballapura Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District and **Sy.No.215 measuring 01:28 (A/G) & Sy.No.216 measuring 01:28 (A/G)** of **Shivapura Village,** Kasaba Hobli, Doddaballapura Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District **totally measuring 17:09 (A/G),** together which are bounded on:

East by : Land in Sy.No.107 & Thammashettihalli Village boundary; **West by :** Land in Sy No.134, 135 & 136; **North by :** Doddaballapura & Devanahalli Road; **South by :** Land in Sy.Nos.128, 120, 104, 105 & Govt. gutte.

Mr. V.C. Chandan, Advocate,
No.48, 'Mathrushree Nilaya', 3rd Main Road, 2nd Phase, Manjunathanagar, Bengaluru - 560 010
Contact No.+91-95-9043-2299
Date: 04/04/2022, Bengaluru

IN THE COURT OF HON'BLE 5th ADDITIONAL PRL. JUDGE, FAMILY COURT AT BENGALURU
M.C. 4326 / 2020

BETWEEN: Smt. Priyanka Khatokar Ashok ...Petitioner
AND: 1. Mr. Dushyant V Desai and others **...Respondent No. 1**
2. Ms. Shraddha Jalan ...Respondent No.2

SUMMONS BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION TO THE RESPONDENT

Ms. Shraddha Jalan, Aged about Major, D/o. Kailash Jalan, Residing at 12/1/2, Gopinath Nagar, AK Azad Road, Guwahati-781016, Assam.

Office at: Ericson Global, A Block, Bagmane World, Technology Center, Citrine Block SEZ, Outer Ring Road, Laxmi Sagar Layout, Mahadevpura, Bengaluru-560048 Ph:9864451897.

Whereas, the petitioner has filed a case seeking UNDER SECTION OF 13 1 (1-i) and (i-a) OF THE HINDU MARRIAGE ACT 1955, the Marriage dated: 13.11.2011 at Jasmadevi Mandir, Kalyana Mantap Bengaluru, between Respondent No. 1 and Me (i.e Petitioner) by way of passing the Judgment and Decree of Divorce to be passed in the favour of the Petitioner. You are hereby directed to appear before this Hon'ble Court in person or though an advocate **on 20/06/2022** at Hon'ble Principal Judge, Family Court Complex, Siddaiah Road, Bangalore to answer to why relief prayed for should not be granted failing which the petition will be disposed as ex-parte.

Given under my hand and seal of the court, this 16.03.2022.

By Order of the Court, Sheristedar, Family Court, Bangalore.

Advocate for Applicant :
Sri KAPIL DIXIT, Advocate
No.210-212, B Wing, Mittal Tower, MG Road, Bengaluru - 560 001.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The General Public are hereby notified that our clients proposes to purchase the Schedule Property from the owners **Mrs. J .JYOTHI,** W/o. Mr. N.Kumar, **Mr. N. KUMAR,** S/o. Mr. Nagaraja and **Mr. V. RAMESH,** S/o.Mr.Venkatasubbaiah, Residents of Bangalore.

The owners have brought to our knowledge that the Original Sale Deeds dated 27.11.1995, Document No.2147/1995-96 and Document No.2149/1995-96 and Sale Deed dated 12.02.1998, Document No.1798/1998-99, registered at the office of the Sub-Registrar, Malur Taluk, have been lost/misplaced and the same are not traceable and that the above referred lost/misplaced original documents have not been pledged/mortgaged nor any lien/charge of any kind has been created on the lost documents. Any person/s in possession of the above mentioned original documents or having any manner of right, title or interest in the Schedule Property or objections for the proposed sale may lodge the same with the undersigned along with the supporting legal documents within 7 (seven) days from the date of publication of this notice failing which, our clients shall complete the sale transaction. Any Claims/Objections received beyond the stipulated period will not be entertained.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the immovable property being an agricultural dry land comprised in **Survey No.77/2B,** measuring 1 Acre 06 Guntas, **Survey No.77/1,** measuring 1 Acre 12 Guntas and 5 Guntas of Kharab Land and **Survey No.77/2C,** measuring 1 Acre 01 Guntas and 3 Guntas of Kharab Land and 6 Guntas, situated at Alahalli Village, Masti Hobli, Malur Taluk, Kolar District presently within the revenue administrative jurisdiction of Alahalli Village Panchayat and the property bounded as follows:

East by : Gramatana Road
West by : Government Lane
North by : Private Property
South by : Path way and Private Land

Mr.N. JAIPRAKASH RAO
Mrs. VEENA RAO, Mr. N.ASHOK KUMAR
ADVOCATES
"JAYPEE ASSOCIATES" LAW FIRM
No.39, 1st Cross, Malleswaram
BANGALORE-560 003.
Bangalore Date: 04.04.2022

PUBLIC NOTICE

My clients have negotiated for the purchase of Schedule Property from It's owners SRI. ANUMOLU KRISTNA MOHAN and SMT. ANUMOLU USHA. Persons having any claims in respect of the Schedule Property or Objections to it's sale, are requested to lodge their claims/objections if any before the undersigned within 15 days in writing or otherwise sale will be completed presuming that the schedule property is free from any claims.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing Site Nos. 71 & 88, Assessment No. 32/3A, Khatha No. 55, situated at Sampigehalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Now Yelahanka Taluk measuring East to West 80 Feet, North to South 40 Feet, Totally measuring 3200 Square Feet and bounded

East by : Road,
West by : Road,
North by : Site Nos. 72 & 87,
South by : Site Nos. 70&89.

M.P. BASAVARAJU, Advocate,
No. 21, 2nd Cross, Suryodaya Layout, Dr. SRK Nagara post, Bengaluru-560 077
Contact No: 9343080909

IN THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL - II AT BANGALORE
No.4, 1st Floor, Jeevan Mangal Building, Residency Road, Bengaluru-560025

O.A. No. 1485/2019

Between :
Corporation Bank (Now Union Bank of India) J.C.Road, Bangalore ...Applicant
AND
L S Laxminarayana and Others ...Defendants

SUMMONS ISSUED UNDER RULE 23 (Viii) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES 1993 TO THE DEFENDANT Nos.1 and 2

1. Sri.L.S.Laxminarayana, S/o Sri.Shivappa, Aged about 48 years, Proprietor, Tharun Traders, No.4, 2nd Floor, A Cross, Mysore Road, Byadarayanapura, Bangalore-560026.
2. Smt. G.R.Padmashree W/o Sri.Sitaram, Aged about 51 years, Residing at No. A-305, Nagarjuna Meadows, Doddaballapura Main Road, Kenchanahalli Gate, Yelahanka New Town, Bangalore-560064.

Whereas the applicant has instituted an application under Section 19 of the Recovery of Debts Due to Bank and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 against the defendants for a recovery of a sum of **Rs.2,47,64,076/-** (inclusive of principal and 2% penal interest).

The above mentioned Defendant is hereby directed to appear before the Tribunal in person or through an advocate or duly authorized agent in support of your defense to show cause within 30 days from the date of publication or on **13.06.2022 at 10.30 AM** as to why relief/s prayed for should not be granted.

Take Notice that in case of default the application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of the Tribunal on the **25th day of February 2022 at Bangalore.**

By order of Tribunal
Registrar
Debt Recovery Tribunal-II, Bangalore

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IN THE COURT OF THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE AT BENGALURU
C.MISC. No. 392/2022

Between: SRI. RAMAIAH, S/o Late Veerabyrappa, aged about 75 years, R/at No. 72, Near Vajreshwari Theatre, Ullalu Village, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru-560 056. ... **PETITIONER**
AND: The Commissioner, Bruhath Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike, Bengaluru. ... **RESPONDENT**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas, the petitioner named above have filed the above Petition for seeking a direction to the Commissioner, Bruhath Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike, Bangaluru, to register the death of his mother **Smt. Gangamma W/o Late Veerabyrappa,** who died on 13-04-2012 at Ullalu Village, Bangaluru North Taluk. On the above petition is posted on **29-04-2022** at 11.00 A.M. for appearance of interested parties shall appear before the court on the above said date and time in personally/ their Advocates and file their objections failing which the matter will be disposed of ex-parte.

Given under my hand and seal of the Hon'ble Court on the 31st day of March 2022, at Bengaluru.

By order of the Court, sheristedar, court of Chief Judicial Magistrate, Bengaluru.

Advocate for Petitioner : **C.R. SATISH KUMAR**
Old No. 209, 8th Main, Railway Layout 2nd Stage, Near RTO office, Bhavani Nagara, Mallathahalli, Bengaluru -560 110. Mob: 9844807592.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform general public that my client **P. TEEKARAM** S/o Late Sri N.D. Pandian, Aged about 73 Years then residing at No. 145/B, Vivekanagar, Bangalore-560 047 and presently residing at House No. 16-147/1, Madhavi Nagar, Alwal, Tirumalagiri, Secunderabad-500 015, Telangana State is the absolute owner of property bearing Site No. 120 formed out of converted land bearing Sy.No.27 situated at Gidadakonenahalli Village, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore now situated within the BBMP Jurisdiction Ward -72 bounded by East by Road West by Site No.106 North by Site No.119 and South by Site No. 121 site in all measuring 2340 Sq.Ft and a residential apartment namely SRI RAVI SHIVASAI NILAYA APARTMENTS has come up under the Joint Venture and Development Agreement dated 31.08.2018 entered into with the Developer/GPA Holder. The Developer has sold his portion 50% of the entire project for a consideration in terms of the Joint Venture and Development Agreement dt. 31.08.2018 annexed with the sharing agreement.

It has come to the notice of my client that the GPA Holder/Developer Sri S. Sampath Raje Urs S/o Sri Sundhraje Urs, Proprietor : Shree Developers has sold illegally, without authority and without the knowledge of the lawful owner, one flat bearing No. S-2 of the owners 50% portion for full consideration to one Smt. Kavyashree .M D/o Sri Manjunath Aithal, Aged 26 years, residing at No. 210, 1st Main Road, 12th "C" Cross, Old Sampigehalli, Jairam Layout, Bangalore - 560 083 overstepping the agreed terms. The buyer will not get the ownership of the said Flat No. S-2 is the exclusive portion of the owner, as the same is sold by Sri S. Sampath Raje Urs clandestinely and fraudulently.

Hence, the general public is here by warned and cautioned to not to deal with the said flat No. S-2 of SRI RAVI SHIVASAI NILAYA APARTMENT unlawfully sold & registered as Book No.1 Document No.YPR-1-04931-2021-22 in CD number YPRD939 Dated 29.12.2021 and the present purchaser has no clear legal title to the said Flat No. S-2.

If any persons and the general public dealing with Developer / GPA Holder S. Sampath Raje Urs, the above property and the unlawful purchaser Smt. Kavyashree M who has no title are doing at their risk, responsibility and consequences. My client Sri. P. Teekaram is in possession and continue to be the legal owner of Flat No. S-2 and has all rights to deal with it in whatsoever way my client wishes to.

K. SUDARSHAN RAJU, Advocate
No.11, 'MEERA NIVAS', East Park Road, Behind Seshadri Police Station, Opp: Saibaba Temple, Seshadripuram, BANGALORE - 560 021. (M) 9449328963

PUBLIC NOTICE

The General Public are hereby notified that our client propose to purchase the Schedule Property from the owners **(1) Mr. N. Ramprakash, (2) Mr. N. Srinivas**, both sons of Late B. R. Narayana and their family members, No. 29, 6th Cross, 9th Main, Srirampuram, Bengaluru-560021.

Any person or persons having any claim/s of any kind whatsoever on the Schedule Property or objections for the proposed sale transaction may lodge their claims/objections with documentary proof with the undersigned **within 10 (Ten) days** from the date of publication of this notice, failing which thereafter our clients shall proceed to complete the sale transaction and claims/objections received beyond the stipulated period will not be entertained.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

ITEM No.1 Belonging to Mr. N. Ramaprakash.

Residential immovable property being a vacant site bearing Corporation No.29, (formerly South Western portion of Old No.1027, later numbered as No.29) PID No. 24-15-29, Situated at 6th Cross, Srirampuram, Bengaluru, Corporation Ward No.97, measuring **East to West : 27.6 Feet, North to South : 50 Feet, Total Area 1375 Square Feet** and bounded on **East by :** Property bearing No. 29/3 belonging to Mr. N. Srinivas, **West by :** 9th Main Road, **North by :** Property No. 29/1 belonging to Mr. N.Jaidev, **South by:** Conservancy Lane.

ITEM No.2 : Belonging to Mr. N. Srinivas.

Residential immovable property being a vacant site bearing Corporation No.29/3, (formerly South Eastern portion of Old No.1027, later numbered as No.29) PID No. 24-15-29/3, Situated at 6th Cross, Srirampuram, Bengaluru, Corporation Ward No.97, measuring **East to West : 27.6 Feet, North to South : 50 Feet, Total Area : 1375 Square Feet** and bounded on **East by :** Private Property, **West by :** Property bearing No.29 belonging to Mr. N. Ramprakash, **North by :** property No.29/2 belonging to Mr. N. Sudarshan, **South by :** Conservancy Lane.

N. JAIPRAKASH RAO
VEENA RAO
N. ASHOK KUMAR
Advocates
JAYPEE ASSOCIATES
- LAW FIRM -
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CORRIGENDUM

Refer "Demand Notice u/Sec 13(2)" Advertisement Published in "The New Indian Express" and "Kannada Prabha" issued dated 30-03-2022. Pertaining Borrower **Mr. Narayanappa Gopal,** the Outstanding amount mentioned has to be read as **"Rs.62,01,401.24 Ps (Rupees Sixty Two Lakh One Thousand Four Hundred One and Paisa Twenty Four Only)"** instead of "Rs.28,94,602.35 Ps (Rupees Twenty Eight Lakh Ninety Four Thousand Six Hundred Two and Paisa Thirty Five Only)" and all other Terms and Conditions remain Same.

Date: 05.04.2022 **Sd/- Authorized Officer**
Place: Bangalore **For Kotak Mahindra Bank Ltd.**

SOUTH WESTERN RAILWAY
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NOTIFICATION

PROMOTIONAL ACTIVITIES OF LOCAL PRODUCTS AT RAILWAY STATIONS

Applications are invited from the manufacturers of Channapatna Toys, specially from "Gombegala Ooru" (toy town) of Karnataka , their Associations including Government agencies. Temporary functional stall with easy access to passengers will be made available to participants. Participants can sell toys at stations and on platforms also. The duration of the stall will be 15 days with effect from 09th April 2022. Only one stall will be permitted at KSR Bengaluru Station. If more than one application is received, the same will be allotted on draw of lots. The registration fee is Rs.500/- only (Non Refundable).

Applications may be submitted latest by **16-00 Hrs of 07-04-2022** in the office of Sr. Divisional Commercial Manager, South Western Railway, Bengaluru – 560 023. It will be opened at **16-30 Hrs of 07-04-2022.**

Eligibility of applicants shall be as follows:

a) Holder of Artisan/Weaver ID card issued by Development Commissioner Handicrafts, Development Commissioner Handloom or by the requisite State/Central Government Authority.
b) Tribal artisans/weavers/craftsmen enrolled/registered with TRIFED.
c) Registered Self Help Groups
d) Micro Enterprises registered under MSME.
e) The vendor already operating the stall at KSR Bengaluru station should not apply.

Interested persons can contact **Sr. Divisional Commercial Manager, Bengaluru Division (9731666950) or Chief Commercial Inspector, Bengaluru (9731666968).**

For details log on **www.swr.indianrailways.gov.in**

PUB/09/AAAL/PRB/SWR/2022-23 **Senior Divisional Commercial Manager/ Bengaluru**

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GOVERNMENT OF MANIPUR
DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE

NOTIFICATION
Imphal, the 1st April, 2022.

No. 8/28/2020-SNP(SW)Transporter : Tenders are invited for appointment of transport contractors for transportation of WBNP (rice) as well as Micronutrient fortified food under SNP. All details of the Tender are available on the website of the Government of Manipur **i) www.manipurtenders.gov.in** and intending bidders / tenderers may download the same from the website.

Sd/-
(Ngangom Uttam Singh)
Director (Social Welfare),
Manipur

Market Watch

1,335.05	MARKET Sensex	60,611.74	FOREX Dollar 75.50
382.95	Nifty	18,053.40	Euro 83.01

HDFC MERGES WITH HDFC BANK

Cost of funds, product coverage led to merger

The proposed transaction will reduce the Bank's exposure to unsecured loans

RAM SAHGAL @Mumbai

THE amalgamation of HDFC with HDFC Bank on Monday might have come as a surprise to many, but such a merger had been on the cards for some years now.

What led to the merger happening now was a reduction in the cost of funds, regulatory gap between NBFCs and banks narrowing, apart from RBI encouraging NBFCs with assets above ₹50,000 crore to convert into banks.

Take the repo rate, the rate at which RBI lends to banks. In March 2015, this was 7.5% against 4% currently. Even as some analysts expect the RBI to increase the repo rate by a cumulative 50-75 bps this fiscal (FY23), the rates are still considered favourable than they were in the past. NPA norms applicable to banks will become applicable to NBFCs.

The statutory liquidity and cash reserve ratios have also dropped to 22% currently – 18% SLR and 4% CRR – from 27% earlier, which makes it less of a drag on the profit and loss account. To be sure, an analyst at Macquarie estimates the merged entity or bank would have an excess requirement of around ₹70,000-₹80,000 crore as CRR/SLR requirement.

One more reason for the merger, is the ability of banks to purchase priority sector loan certificates, which have grown in to a ₹5.5 lakh crore market in the past six years. PSL implies 40% of total loans must flow to sectors such as agri, within which 8% must be for small marginal farmers, MSME, socially weaker sections, etc.

Banks found it tough many a times to meet the sub targets and as a penalty had to buy Rural Infrastructure Development Fund bonds which bore a cost of 0.75-2%. Since 2016 RBI floated PSLC platform. This obviated making fresh loans and holding only PSL Certificates (PLSCs) for a trading fee. HDFC Bank will partly use this platform to meet its Priority Sector Lending (PSL) requirements.

Also, 70% of HDFC Bank's over 6.8 crore customers don't have mortgages from HDFC Limited.

The merger allows the combined entity to seamlessly provide this product. The proposed transaction will also reduce HDFC Bank's proportion of exposure to unsecured loans.

CCI to probe Zomato, Swiggy's anti-competitive practices

DIPAK MONDAL @ New Delhi

THE anti-trust regulator, Competition Commission of India (CCI), has ordered an investigation into the alleged anti-competitive conduct of food delivery platforms Zomato and Swiggy.

The CII order came after the National Restaurant Association of India (NRAI) has made several allegations of anti-competitive practices by the two food delivery apps, which according to NRAI, control 95% of the food delivery market.

NRAI in its complaints with CCI alleged restaurant owners are forced to use delivery services of Zomato, Swiggy if they want to avail the listing services. The restaurant body claimed due to this kind of bundling, restaurants are severely affected because of non-availability of delivery partners and delay in delivery, which directly affects their business.

The restaurant body has also alleged that the food delivery platforms engage in the practice of data masking, where the restaurants receive no data or information about the end consumers to whom the food is delivered. It says that payments are being deducted for poor customer satisfaction without the restaurant even knowing the reasons for the same.

The food delivery platforms have also been alleged of listing their own cloud kitchen brands exclusively on their platform, similar to private labels, thereby creating an inherent conflict of interest in the platform's role as an intermediary on one hand and as a participant on the other hand.

The restaurant body has also said that the commissions charged by Zomato and Swiggy from restaurants to the tune of 20% to 30%, which are extremely exorbitant and unviable.

The two food delivery platforms argued in the CCI that some clauses are imposed keeping the interest users in mind.

'Conduct of Zomato, Swiggy requires investigation'

The Commission says the allegations pertaining to delayed payment cycle, charging of exorbitant commission etc do not seem to have effect on competition, yet it said there exists a prima facie case with respect to some conduct of Zomato and Swiggy, which requires investigation

Bajaj Auto's March sales fall by 41%

New Delhi: Bajaj auto on Monday reported a 41% slump in domestic two-wheeler sales to 1,07,081 units in March 2022 as against 1,82,393 units during the corresponding month last year. The sharp fall for the Pune-based automaker comes at a time when the domestic two-wheeler industry is in downtrend on account of slowdown in rural demand, rising cost of ownership and rising petrol prices. During the full financial year 2021-22, Bajaj sold 38,36,856 two-wheelers , recording an improvement of 6% year-on-year. While its domestic sales fell by 9%, exports grew by 22%. Domestic sales for Bajaj during FY22 stood at 16,41,084 units while exports stood at 21,95,772 units. Not only Bajaj Auto, but companies like Hero MotCorp, TVS and Honda 2Wheelers have also been witnessing a slump in sales.

VODAFONE RAISES STAKE IN VODA IDEA TO 48%

RAKESH KUMAR @ New Delhi

SHOWING confidence in its India joint venture, UK-based Vodafone Group on Monday raised its stake in cash-strapped Vodafone Idea Limited's (VIL) from 44.39% to 47.61% through its subsidiary Prime Metals Limited (PML). Experts say the move is a signal of promoter's intent to rebuild the company. They say the renewed confidence by the parent company would have a rub-off effect on other investors.

"This signals the promoter's intent to rebuild the company and such moves would also bring in confidence to other investors to participate in the rest of the fund raising plan. This fund raised would help VIL address its short-term cash flow requirements," said Prashanth Tapse, vice- president (Research) at Mehta Equities Ltd. Vodafone Group has acquired 570,958,646 equity shares through allotment of equity shares pursuant to a preferential issue by the Company. Prime Metals Ltd held 2,18,55,26,081 equity shares (representing 7.61% of the equity share capital) of Vodafone Idea Limited.

Vodafone Group raising stake in Vodafone Idea will provide investors and lenders the confidence to consider infusing investment as it improves the operator's viability

CHARU PALIWAL, Research Analyst

Vodafone Idea in March announced that its board had approved a proposal to raise ₹14,500 crore from its promoters and investors through equity, warrants and convertible debentures.

Last week, the telecom operator's board member approved allotment of 338.3 crore equity shares to its three promoters to raise ₹4500 crore. It had issued shares at a price of ₹13.30 per equity share, including a premium of ₹3.30 per equity Euro Pacific Securities, Prime Metals and Oriana Investments.

"Vodafone Group raising stake in Vodafone Idea is certainly positive news for the operator's ambitions of raising funds externally. It will provide investors and lenders the confidence to consider infusing investment as it improves the operator's viability," said Charu Paliwal, Research Analyst at Counter Research. The infusion of funds will help Vodafone Idea invest in the upcoming 5G spectrum auction.

5G spectrum auction to be on schedule: Vaishnaw

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

THE auction of 5G spectrum will be held on schedule and within the stipulated timeline, said the telecom minister Ashwini Vaishnaw on Monday. The minister, who was speaking on the sidelines of the 2nd national conferences on cyber crime investigation and digital forensics, when asked if 5G auction will be held as per schedule, said "absolutely".

The minister's comment came at a time when telecom regulator Trai's 5G recommendations on spectrum pricing and other nuances, which were widely expected to come by March-end, have been delayed by a few days to early April. The spectrum auctions are slated to be conducted in 2022, to facilitate the rollout of 5G mobile services within 2022-23.

The regulatory body, in November had released a detailed consultation paper to discuss threadbare the modalities for auction of spectrum across multiple bands, including pricing, quantum and other conditions – preparing the groundwork for upcoming 5G auctions.

TRAI sought comment from the stakeholders for new frequencies such as 526-698 MHz and millimetre band that is 24.25 - 28.5 GHz, in addition to bands like 700 MHz, 800 MHz, 900 MHz, 1800 MHz, 2100 MHz, 2300 MHz, 2500 MHz, and 3300-3670 MHz. All the three private telecom operators~ Bharati Airtel, Vodafone Idea Limited and Reliance Jio have urged the government to cut the base price of 5G spectrum in the upcoming auction. The 5G trials are conducted by the telecom operators in all major cities.

Gautam Adani $6 b richer than Ambani

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

GAUTAM Adani's wealth continues to grow at a brisk pace. After hitting the coveted $100 billion mark last week, the Adani Group chairman is now wealthier by $6 billion than Reliance Industries Ltd's boss Mukesh Ambani.

According to Forbes Real Time Billionaire Index, Adani's wealth on Monday grew by over $4 billion and now he is worth $107.6 billion. Compared to this, Ambani's wealth on Monday grew by $323 million to $101.6 billion.

According to Bloomberg Billionaire Index, the other followed index which tracks net worth of the world's richest, Adani's wealth on Monday was pegged at $100 billion while that of Ambani was $99 billion. Just two weeks ago, Ambani was Asia's richest with $103 billion wealth.

The see-saw battle between the two of India's and Asia's richest has been an on-going affair for the past many months as a jump, after a brief period of stagnation, in the share prices of Adani Group of companies, has added more billions in Adani's wealth than anyone else in the world. According to the Bloomberg data, till Friday, Adani had added almost $24 billion so far this year, becoming the world's biggest gainer.

Adani's rise to Asia's richest has been eye-catching. According to the 2022 M3M Hurun Global Rich List released last month, while Ambani's wealth grew by 400% in the last 10 years, Adani has seen a 1,830% increase in his wealth in the same time period.

The list also showed that Adani, the head of the ports-to-energy conglomerate, added $49 billion to his wealth last year - more than the net addition of wealth by the top three global billionaires Elon Musk, Jeff Bezos and Bernard Arnault.

EXPRESS READ

PVR-Inox combined pipeline at 2k screens

New Delhi: Leading multiplex operators Inox Leisure and PVR, which had announced their merger last month, have a combined pipeline of 2,000 screens and aim to double this size in next seven years, entailing an investment of ₹4,000 crore. The merged entity would invest capex of ₹2.5 crore per screen as part of their expansion, said Inox Leisure Director Siddharth Jain in a Business Update Conference Call with the investors. On March 27, The operators announced a merger deal to create the largest multiplex chain in the country.

India's trade deficit rises 88% in FY22

New Delhi: India's trade deficit rose 87.5% to $192.41 billion in 2021-22 as against $102.63 billion in the previous year, the government data showed on Monday. While total exports during last fiscal year increased to a record high of $417.81 billion, imports too soared to $610.22 billion. "India's merchandise import in April 2021-March 2022 was $610.22 billion, an increase of 54.71% over $394.44 billion in April 2020-March 2021 and an increase of 28.55% over $474.71 billion in April 2019-March 2020," said a government release.

Business & Beyond

GRSE Pays Interim Dividend of ₹56.70 cr for FY22

Garden Reach Shipbuilders and Engineers Ltd., (GRSE), a Mini Ratna Category 1 Defence PSU, has paid an interim dividend of `56.70 crores for FY 2021-22 to its shareholders. The Interim Dividend Cheque amounting to ₹42,24,39,138/- as the government's share was handed over to Raksha Mantri Rajnath Singh at New Delhi.

CLW produced 486 electric locos in FY 22

Locomotive Works (CLW) achieved a remarkable accomplishment by producing record 486 Locomotives in Financial Year 2021-22 against the Railway Board's production target of 485 locos. V.K Tripathi, Chairman & CEO, Railway Board flagged off the 486th Locomotive of Financial Year 2021-22, WAG-9 HC (33562) and dedicated it to the nation from Chittaranjan Locomotive Works.

SER records highest-ever freight loading

South Eastern Railway, during the financial year 2021-22, has loaded 195.03 million tonnes (approx) of freight which is all time record since SER's trifurcation in the year 2003. This remarkable loading performance surpassed last year's (2020-21) loading of 175.82 million tonnes by 10.93%. The main commodities of freight loading of SER were Iron Ore, Coal, Pig Iron etc.

IREDA to finance 3,000 electric cars

In a bid to promote electric vehicles in Delhi-NCR region, Indian Renewable Energy Development Agency Ltd. (IREDA), the largest lender of the Renewable Energy sector in India, sanctioned a loan of ₹267.67 crores to BluSmart Mobility for the purchase of 3,000 all-electric cars.

IOC, L&T, ReNew power form JV to develop green hydrogen sector

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

TO enable decarbonization push, Indian Oil Corporation Ltd, Larsen & Toubro (L&T), ReNew Power announced signing of a binding term sheet for the formation of a Joint Venture (JV) company to develop the nascent green hydrogen sector in India. Additionally, IndianOil and L&T have signed a binding term sheet to form a JV with equity participation to manufacture and sell Electrolyzers used in the production of Green Hydrogen.

"The IndianOil-L&T-ReNew JV will focus on developing Green Hydrogen projects in a time-bound manner to supply Green Hydrogen at an industrial scale," said S N Subrahmanyan, CEO & MD of L&T.

The JV will help to bring together the strong credentials of L&T in designing, executing, and delivering EPC projects, IndianOil's established expertise in petroleum refining along with its presence across the energy spectrum, and the expertise of ReNew in offering and developing utility-scale renewable energy solutions.

"Being the Energy of India, we are committed to powering India's drive towards carbon neutrality by leveraging the power of green hydrogen. Indian Oil is forging this alliance to realise India's green hydrogen aspirations, which is in sync with the Honble Prime Minister's vision of making India a Green Hydrogen generation and export hub," said Shrikant Madhav Vaidya, Chairman of IndianOil. The partnership will focus on green hydrogen projects at Mathura and Panipat refineries. While the usage of hydrogen in the mobility sector will take its due time, however the refineries will be the pivot around which India's green hydrogen revolution will materialise in a substantial way.

Paytm Bank yet to appoint a firm for audit

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

MORE than three weeks after being asked to appoint a firm to conduct an audit of its information technology (IT) systems, Paytm Payments Bank (PPBL), which processes transactions for Paytm, is yet to comply with the order.

"The RBI (Reserve Bank of India) further informed that the Paytm Payments Bank Limited has not yet appointed the IT audit firm to conduct a comprehensive System Audit of the IT system of the bank," Bhagwat Karad, Minister of State for Finance, in a written reply told the Lok Sabha on Monday.

On March 11, the banking regulator had barred Paytm Payments Bank from onboarding new customers and ordered it to appoint a firm to conduct a comprehensive System Audit of its IT system."Onboarding of new customers by Paytm Payments Bank Ltd will be subject to specific permission to be granted by RBI after reviewing a report of the IT auditors," the RBI had said in a circular.

Post the ban, there were reports that said the action was taken after the central bank had found that PPBL's servers were sharing information with China-based entities that indirectly own a stake in the Paytm Payments Bank. The other reason for the RBI's decision is said to be PPBL not following adequate know-your-customer (KYC) norms.

MPC MEETING

RBI may revise upwards inflation estimates

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

THE country's central bank may have to do a course correction in the forthcoming Monetary Policy Committee meeting slated from April 6-8. Experts believe that it would not only have to revise upwards its inflation estimates but also have to change its stance from accommodative to neutral in view of the evolving conditions.

"We would expect the MPC to review the earlier forecasts of both growth and inflation for 2022-23. Growth is likely to be revised downwards while inflation would be probably at least 100 bps higher," says Madan Sabnavis, Chief Economist, Bank of Baroda.

In its February policy statement, the RBI had pegged the 2022-23 inflation at 4.5%, 50 basis points (bps) lower than previously estimated. It had also spelled out a much more dovish monetary policy stance than expected.

However, owing to the geopolitical tensions between Russia and Ukraine, the situation has changed drastically with fuel prices again going through the roofs. Petrol and diesel prices have been hiked ₹8.4 a litre in the past fortnight. CNG and PNG prices have also been hiked.

"With inflation rising prodigiously, there should be active consideration of change in stance from accommodative to neutral," adds Sabnavis of BoB.

Though most experts believe that repo rate hike would take time to materialize.

TODAY'S STOCK PICK

BIRLA CORP

Current Price ₹1,165

Target Price ₹1,435

BCORP has been consistent with its capacity additions through organic and inorganic routes. The management recently announced its aim to increase the company's installed capacity to 30mtpa by 2027 (current capacity: 19.5mtpa). We expect a re-rating of the stock's valuation based on BCORP's continued focus on capacity expansions and improved leverage.

— Motilal Oswal Securities Limited

Disclaimer: The views and recommendations made above are that of the individual analyst or broking company, and not that of *The New Indian Express*.

Swiatek confirmed as new WTA No 1

Poland's Iga Swiatek was confirmed as the new WTA number one in the rankings released Monday, replacing the retired Ashleigh Barty of Australia. The 20-year-old celebrated her new status in style on Sunday, winning the Miami Open with a straight-sets victory over four-time Grand Slam champion Naomi Osaka.

BOWLERS DELIVER FOR LUCKNOW

Pacers Avesh & Holder hold nerves at death overs to help team beat Hyderabad by 12 runs

ASHOK VENUGOPAL @Chennai

MANY fans believed that the 12th game of the Indian Premier League would be Lucknow Super Giants' batting depth vs the Sunrisers Hyderabad's bowling might which has a lot of variety.

Lucknow, with the likes of KL Rahul, Quinton de Kock, Manish Pandey, Evin Lewis, Deepak Hooda, Ayush Badoni, Krunal Pandya and Jason Holder, had a batting line-up which could be the envy of any side in the IPL. On the other hand Hyderabad with the likes of Washington Sundar, Bhuvneshwar Kumar, Romario Shepherd, T Natarajan and Umran Malik have a good pace-centric attack.

Pacer Avesh Khan picked up four wickets against SRH

TODAY'S MATCH
RR VS RCB
LIVE FROM 7.30 PM @ MUMBAI

In the end, though, the match came down to what Lucknow's death over specialists could do against Hyderabad's finishers. The latter's power-hitters, especially Nicholas Pooran, threatened to chase down 170 but Jason Holder (3/34) and Avesh Khan (4/24) closed out the match to help Lucknow to a second win in three outings.

At one point, Lucknow, who were asked to bat first, were in danger of not making much but thanks to a gritty half-century from KL Rahul and a flowing 50 from Deepak Hooda, they set their opponents a tricky target of 170. After winning the toss, Kane Willamson took a leaf out of Virat Kohli's book and the Kiwi was straightaway rewarded. Kohli was one of the few captains to have used Washington Sundar judiciously. Washington, when he was with RCB, had on numerous occasions opened the attack and made good use of the surface in order to get purchase.

On Monday, he immediately sent home the dangerous De Kock. With his guile, he induced the South African to play a false stroke straight to cover where Williamson made no mistake. In his next over, Washington trapped the inform Evin Lewis with a clever change of pace.

Williamson shuffled his bowlers well and all that Lucknow could mange in the power play was 32, losing three wickets in the bargain. Thereafter, Hyderabad lost the plot a bit in the middle overs as Shepherd, Natarajan and Malik were erratic and Rahul and Hooda combined well to add 87 runs for the fourth wicket.

The final overs where no way better as Washington conceded 17 in his fourth over. Although Natarajan did well to pick up two wickets to send back Rahul and Krunal Pandya, Shepherd one again messed up by conceding 17 runs in the final over which included three wides. Thus despite a poor start, Lucknow managed to post a challenging total.

Brief scores: LSG 169/7 in 20 ovs (Rahul 68, Hooda 51; Natarajan 2/26, Washington 2/28) bt SRH 157/9 in 20 ovs (Tripathi 44, Pooran 34; Avesh 4/24, Holder 3/34).

MIDNIGHT SHOW

Both Manchester City and Liverpool will begin as favourites but their opponents have the capacity to act as banana peels in the first leg of the Champions League quarterfinals on Tuesday. A look...

MANCHESTER CITY VS ATLETICO MADRID

WILL PEP OVERTHINK AGAIN?

The one thing that has repeatedly led to Pep Guardiola underachieve in Europe is his ability to overcomplicate during big games. This fixture could see the Spaniard, who has won no European titles since 2011, do the same even if the last year's losing finalists are in a rich vein of form. They have lost only twice in the last two months and with Kevin de Bruyne back to his imperious best, City are primed to go one better this year.

ATLETICO HAVE FIREPOWER

One thing the La Liga have at their disposal is firepower in attack. Luis Suarez is enjoying a second wind and in the company of Joao Felix (they scored two goals each against Alaves at the weekend), the pair can do some damage to a back line that will be without Ruben Dias. Also do keep an eye on left-back Renan Lodi.

LIVE ON SONY TEN 2 @ 12.30 AM

BENFICA VS LIVERPOOL

REDS' GOALSCORING THREATS

What makes Liverpool such a fine side is the goal-scoring threat they carry. Sadio Mane, Mo Salah, Luis Diaz, Diogo Jota, Roberto Firmino... with so many options, the Portuguese already begin on the back foot. What it also means is that even if a couple of the leading lights suffer an off day, Jurgen Klopp can always bring freshes it up from the front.

ALL EYES ON DARWIN NUNEZ

With Europe's biggest clubs scouting the Uruguayan striker, Tuesday offers him a great opportunity impress. He's quick-footed, pacy and has a fine finish on him. Even if Liverpool are firm at the back, Nunez has the ability to score. If Benfica are to keep the tie alive going to Anfield, then a lot will depend on Nunez.

LIVE ON SONY TEN 1 @ 12.30 AM

ANNU RULES IN JAVELIN EVENT

MARTIN JOSEPH @ Kochi

FOR the likes of Annu Rani and Tajinder Pal Singh Toor, it was business as usual as they dominated their events on the third day of the 25th National Federation Cup senior athletics championship underway at the CH Muhammed Koya Stadium in Calicut on Monday.

Meanwhile, Jyothi Arraji missed out on a national record in the 100m hurdles event. Despite producing a time of 13.09s, it wasn't ratified by the Athletics Federation of India due to wind assistance of +2.1 m/s.

The existing national record (13.38s) was set two decades ago by Anuradha Biswa and despite having bettered the time twice, the Andhra Pradesh athlete has missed out on re-writing the record to her name. In the women's javelin throw, Annu, in action for the first time since the Tokyo Olympics, finished well ahead of Shilpa Rani with a best throw of 61.15m in her fifth attempt and had managed to cross the 60m mark with her first throw as well.

Full story: newindianexpress.com

'Indian players need more exposure now'

SWAROOP SWAMINATHAN @ Chennai

VESELIN Matic gives the impression of somebody who is calm. He is forthright in his views but puts them across slowly, clearly and with caveats. This much is evident during a 25-minute conversation at the ongoing senior basketball national championships at the Nehru Indoor Stadium in the city. The one time he gets excitable also reveals his passion for the sport and what motivates the Indian men's team's head coach to change the side's fortunes. In an interview, he also rues that he can't select naturalised players. Excerpts:

On his tenure so far with the national team

Basketball has improved in Asia. When I came, there were about 10 teams. Now we are competing with 25 teams. In every team, you have (at least) one naturalised player (to give citizenship to a person born outside the country). Only in China and India, you cannot bring any naturalised player. Our only way is to develop (homegrown) players. That is difficult but okay.

On your recommendations

What my recommendation is, we have three levels of ranking (for sports). Superior, mid-level and low. Basketball is a very popular sport. The government gives us 90 days to camp for a mid-level sport like basketball. If it's superior, we can have 300 days in camps.

On exposure trip

Nothing till now because of Covid restrictions. Without exposure, no improvement... you can practice as much as you want but without real games... when we get exposure, we can compete better, get adequate experience.

Full interview: newindianexpress.com

Indian tickets sales for WC strong: Qatar Tourism COO

ASHIM SUNAM @ Doha

EVER since Qatar won the bidding rights to host the FIFA World Cup 2022 twelve years ago, the country has been leaving no stone unturned to make it a grand success. It is the first time an Arab country will be hosting the quadrennial event after fighting off stiff competition from countries like the USA, Australia among others to clinch the bid.

The country, which will host the quadrennial competition from November 21 across eight venues, is gearing up for the event. One can expect a carnival-like atmosphere at the fan festivals, which will also comprise of music concerts and DJ nights among others. More than 280 music artists are expected to provide an enthralling atmosphere during the four-week long competition.

With the Football World Cup being one of the most popular events in the world, there has been a good demand for tickets from all over the world. Interestingly, there has been a huge interest from India as well. One of the reasons could be the closer proximity between the two countries as well. The distance between India and Qatar is 2885km, but the last three WCs have been quite far — Russia (almost 5000km), Brazil (14,088km) and South Africa (8250km).

"Indian ticket sales have been very strong. India may not qualified, but Indians seem to love football. If you look back at previous (World Cups), it was held in far places (from India) like Rio. But Qatar is not far away. India's economy has come a long way in the last 20 years. Everyone now watches football in India, and everyone has a favourite team," said Qatar Tourism Chief Operating Officer, Berthold Trenkel, who also spoke about the Visa process. "For the World Cup, visitors from all countries will need visa. But it is tied to the football ticket and hotel booking. If you have these two, the visa will be automatically processed."

The author was invited to Doha by Qatar Tourism

EXPRESS READ

Shuttler Mithun loses in final

ORLEANS: Indian shuttler Mithun Manjunath's run at the Orleans Masters ended with a straight game loss to Toma Junior Popov in the summit clash of the Super 100 tournament here. Manjunath went down 21-11, 21-19 to world number 32 in 50 minutes late on Sunday in his maiden Super 100 final.

Basketball Nationals: Karnataka men beat UP

Bengaluru: Karnataka men defeated Uttar Pradesh 86-56 in the Senior Nationals Basketball in Chennai on Sunday. Aravind top-scored with 20 points to help Karnataka win their second straight match of the competition, but things did not go according to plan for the state women's team. The latter lost to Punjab 72-79 in a close encounter.

All-India junior badminton in city from April 9

BENGALURU: Padukone Dravid Centre for Sports Excellence (PDCSE) in Bangalore is set to host the Yonex Sunrise Union Bank of India All-India junior-ranking badminton from April 9-15. About 1700 entries have been received from all over the country. The first three days will be the qualifying while the main draw starts from April 12. Top junior players of the country will feature in the tournament.

IN THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL - II AT BANGALORE
Residency Road, No.4, 1st Floor, Jeevan Mangal Building, Bengaluru-560025

O.A. No. 1690 of 2019

Between:
Union Bank of India
(e-Corporation Bank)
J.C.Road, Bangalore ...Applicant
AND
Smt. Pooja Swahney ...Defendant

SUMMONS ISSUED UNDER RULE 23 (Viii) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES 1993 TO THE DEFENDANTS

Smt. Pooja Sawhney, Proprietrix, Aditya Motors, No.29/3, Kadiganahalli Village, Jala Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore-562157

Whereas the applicant has instituted an application under Section 19 of the Recovery of Debts Due to Bank and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 against the defendants for a recovery of a sum of **Rs.1,26,37,178/-** (inclusive of principal and 2% penal interest).

The above mentioned Defendant is hereby directed to appear before the Tribunal in person or through an advocate or duly authorized agent in support of your defense to show cause within 30 days from the date of publication or on **13.06.2022 at 10.30 AM** as to why relief/s prayed for should not be granted.

Take Notice that in case of default the application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of the Tribunal on the **17th day of February 2022 at Bangalore.**

By order of Tribunal
Registrar
Debt Recovery Tribunal-II

PUBLIC NOTICE

I, **P. TEEKARAM** S/o Late Sri N.D. Pandian, Aged about 73 years then residing at No. 145/B, Vivekanagar, Bangalore-560 047 and presently residing at House No. 16-147/1, Madhavi Nagar, Alwal, Tirumalagiri, Secunderabad-500 015, Telangana State, do hereby states and informs to the General Public that the General Power of Attorney dated 31.08.2018 given to Sri.S.Sampath Raje Urs S/o Sri.Sugandhraje Urs residing at No.265, 8th Main Road, B.C.C. Layout, Chandralayout, Bangalore-560 040 also he is Proprietor SHREE DEVELOPERS, office at No. 35, "Maruthi Nilaya", Ground Floor, 2nd Cross, Behind Nammura Thindi Hotel, NGEF Layout, Nagarbhavi 2nd Stage, Bangalore - 560 072, registered in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Srirampura, Bangalore vide registration No. Book No. 4 Document No. SRI-4-0007-2018-19 in C.D. No. SRID217 Dated 31.08.2018, to develop my property bearing Site No. 120 formed out of converted land bearing Sy.No.27 situated at Gidadakonenahalli Village, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore now situated within the BBMP Jurisdiction Ward -72 bounded by East by Road West by Site No.106 North by Site No.119 and South by Site No. 121, site in all measuring 2340 Sq.Ft and a residential apartment namely SRI RAVI SHIVASAI NILAYA APARTMENTS has come up, NOW Stands REVOKED and CANCELLED with immediate effect. Any persons/general public are hereby warned and cautioned that dealing with Sri. S. Sampath Raje Urs in respect of the above properties/flats in the said apartment are doing at their risk and responsibility and will not have any legal sanctity and I being the owner of the property said above is the sole authority to deal with it.

Please note that in view of serious irregularities committed and acted beyond the terms of General Power of Attorney given to Sri. S. Sampath Raje Urs stands REVOKED AND CANCELLED with immediate effect.

SRI P. TEEKARAM, Owner / Principal
S/o. Late N.D. Pandian, No. 16-147/1, Madhavi Nagar, Alwal, Tirumalagiri, Secunderabad-500 015, Telangana State.
(M) 94900 43889, Date: 04.04.2022

PUBLIC NOTICE

It is hereby informed to the General Public that my client **Mrs.FARZANA KHAN W/o Late Mohammed Farooq, # 149/4, Ebrahim Saheb Street, Shivaji Nagar, Bangalore-560 001** is the absolute owner of her ancestral undivided joint family residential and commercial shop Properties **bearing Old house Nos 3, 10 and 11, New Nos.142, 143, 144, 145 including shops Nos. 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, measuring to the extent of 2250 sq.ft. situated at -Ibrahim Saheb Street, Shivaji Nagar, Bangalore-560001** and bounded on the **East by: Small Gully and Lubbey Masjid property, West by: Property of H.L. Store Owners, North by: Ebrahim Sahib Street and South by: Small Gully and Lubbey Masjid property** and it is under dispute between the family and in the court. Any persons who purchase above property without the consent/knowledge of my client, if enters into any type of transactions, executes any agreements or sale deeds shall be at their own risk and consequences and those documents executed are not binding over my client. They shall approach the below contact Number with relevant documents if any for further details.

V. CHANDRASHEKARA, ADVOCATE
Ph: 9844316972

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

TENDER NOTICE

Senior Divisional Mechanical Engineer, Southern Railway, Divisional Office, Salem – 636005 for and on behalf of the President of India invites ONLINE tenders for the under mentioned works as per tender notice given in our e-tender portal **www.ireps.gov.in.** The Tenderer(s)/Contractor(s) intending to apply for e-tender for Mechanical Branch in Salem Division, need to get enrolled in the e-tender portal www.ireps.gov.in and only online tender will be accepted. **The cost of tender form and EMD need to be done through online payment only. Tenders received without valid EMD shall be rejected. Any other mode of submission of cost of tender form and EMD will not be accepted.** It is the responsibility of Tenderer(s)/Contractor(s) to obtain Digital Signature certificates for participating e-tendering.

Tender Notice Number and date: SA-M-02-2022 dated 04.04.2022.

Name of work: GREEN RAILWAY STATION RATING SYSTEM FOR SALEM, ERODE & KARUR RAILWAY STATIONS AND GREEN EXISTING BUILDING RATING SYSTEM (O&M) FOR DRM OFFICE, SALEM, SOUTHERN RAILWAY FOR A PERIOD OF THREE YEARS.

Estimate Value: Rs.22,83,300/- **Earnest Money:** Rs.45,700/-. **Cost of Tender Form:** Rs.3,360/-. **Tender Closing date and Time:** 26.04.2022 at 14.00 Hrs.

Web address: http://www.ireps.gov.in

Complete details of the above tenders are given on the e-portal **"www.ireps.gov.in".** For Details of bid submission, please refer website portal **"www.ireps.gov.in".** The online bids for tenders floated through the above portal are required to be digitally signed.

Note: It is the responsibility of the tenderers to check any Corrigendum is issued for any correction; deletion or modifications uploaded subsequently in the website and the same shall be taken into account while uploading the tender. For further details please visit website at **www.ireps.gov.in.**

Senior Divisional Mechanical Engineer, Southern Railway, Salem – 636 005

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IN THE HON'BLE COURT OF THE 1st ADDL. CIVIL JUDGE & J.M.F.C AT NELAMANGALA
C. Misc. No.84/2022

PETITIONER: 1. **SRI. MUNIYAPPA** S/o Late Mara Arasaiah aged about 68 years, R/at No.10, 1st Main Road, Rajeshwari Nagara, Laggere, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalroe-58
AND THREE OTHERS -V/S-
RESPONDENT : The Tahasildar (Registrar of Births and Deaths) Bangalore North Taluk Bangalore.

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION

Whereas the petitioner above named has presented petition to this Hon'ble court under section 13(3) of Registration of Birth and Deaths Act 1969 for order direct the respondent authority to get enter the date of death of petitioner's mother by name **SYLAMMA,** W/o late Mara Arasaiah was died on 05/04/1999 at Husiour village, Dasarapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk. The Hon'ble court has fixed on 25-04-2022 for hearing of the petition and that if any person's desire to oppose the said petition or claim or interest shall appear before the Hon'ble court in person or by pleader duly instructed at 11 AM failing which said application will be heard and determined as experte.

Given under my hand and seal of the court on this 31-03-2022.

By order of the Court, Chief Ministerial Officer, Court of Civil Judge, Junior Division and JMFC, Nelamangala.

Advocate for Petitioner: **SRI. S. MUNIRAMAIAH,** No.65, Honnadevi Nilaya, 1st Main Road, Sadhashivanagar, NELAMANGALA -562 123.

IN THE COURT OF THE HON'BLE VI ADDL. CHIEF METROPOLITAN MAGISTRATE AT BANGALORE
Crl.Mis.No. 1550/2022

BETWEEN:
1. LAKSHMAMMA, S/o. Late. Muniyappa, Aged about 54 years, R/at. No.195, 6th Cross, Chandr appa Nagar, Adugodi, Bangalore - 560 030. 2. MUNIRAJU, S/O. Late. Muniyappa, Aged about 39 years, R/at. No. 138, Bilishivale, Doddigubbi Road, Archana Complex backside, Nagappa Reddy Layout, Bangalore-560077. 3. AMMU, W/o. Kumar.V, D/o. Late. Muniyappa, Aged about 36 years, R/at. No.32, Chokkana halli, Near Chokkanahalli Milk Dairy, Maranahalli Jala Hobli, Bagalur, Bangalore-562 149. 4. MUNIRATHNA, W/o. G. Ramesh Babu, D/o. Late. Muniyappa, Aged about 42 years, R/at. No. 311/3/4, Krishnappa Garden, Tavarekere, Bangalore-560 023.5. H. RADHAMMA, W/o. H. Maruti, Aged about 38 years, R/at. No.2-70, S.C. Colony, Adadakula palle, Anantapur, Andhra Pradesh, PIN-515124. **...PETITIONERS**
AND:
The Commissioner of BBMP Registrar of Births & Deaths, Bangalore **...RESPONDENT**

NOTICE

Whereas, the petitioners have filed the above petition U/s 13(3) of the Registration of Birth and Death Act seeking direction to the Commissioner of BBMP at Bangalore to register the date of death of the deceased by name MUNIYAPPA, S/O. LATE. PILLAPPAND MUNIYAMMA, who was died on 11-06-2016 at 195, 6th Cross, Chandrappa Nagar, Adugodi, Bangalore-560 030. If any persons having objection in the matter may appear before the Hon'ble VI ACMM court at Bangalore, either personally or through an advocate duly instructed at 11.00 am, on 05-05-2022 to which date the case is posted for hearing. Given under my hand and the seal of the court on this 29 day of march 2022.

By order of the court, Sheristedar, VI ACMM Court, Bangalore

Advocate for Petitioner
Smt. ANDALI, Advocate,
No.207, 18th Cross, Cottonworld Road, Amruthahalli, Saha karnagar Post, Bangalore-560 092. Mob- 9480488438.

IN THE COURT OF THE ADDL CITY CIVIL JUDGE AT BENGALURU
P & SC. No.25024/2022

BETWEEN: 1) Mr. JIMMY PALKHIVALA J R S/o. Palkhivala J A aged 51 years, **2) Mr. DARYUS PALKHIVALA J R** S/o. Jimmy Palkhivala J R aged 19 years, **3) Mr. CYRUS PALKHIVALA** S/o Jimmy Palkhivala J R aged 16 years being minor represented by his natural guardian and father Mr. Jimmy Palkhivala J R, All R/at Marvil Hall #19, Rest House Road Opp. Rest House Park Bengaluru 560001. **... Petitioners**

AND: Nil ... Respondent

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas the petitioners above named have filed petition to this Hon'ble Court under section 372 of the Indian Succession Act 1925 seeking the relief of succession certificate to inherit the property described in the schedule hereunder owned by Late Julie Anne Palkhivala @ Julie Anne D'Souza the wife of Petitioner No.1 and mother of Petitioner Nos.2 & 3 respectively.

Interested parties or objections if any, are hereby called upon to appear before this court in person or through pleader duly instructed on 20/04/2022 at 11.00 a.m show cause against the petition, failing wherein the said petition will be heard and necessary orders will be passed.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of Flat bearing No. 19/4, Rest House Road, named Marvil Hall situate in the Second Floor of Property #19, Rest House Road, Opp Rest House Park, Richmond Town, Bengaluru 560001 with super built-up area measuring 2400 Sq.ft with undivided share in the common areas of the building being bounded on the North by: Private Property, South by: Rest House Crescent, East by: Rest House Road and West by: Private Property.

By order of the Court, Assistant Registrar, City Civil Court, Bangalore.

Advocate for Petitioner : **V. JAYKER** #75, Nehru Road, Aravind Nagar, Bengaluru 560084.

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The following borrower/s have defaulted in the repayment of principal and interest of the loans facility obtained by them from the Bank and the loans have been classified as Non-Performing Assets (NPA). A notice was issued to them under Section 13 (2) of Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act-2002 on their last known addresses, however it was not served and hence they are hereby notified by way of this public notice.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor/ (Loan Account Number) & Address	Property Address of Secured Asset / Asset to be Enforced	Date of Notice Sent/ Outstanding as on Date of Notice	NPA Date
1.	Imran Khan/ Syeeda Fatima Amreema/ 4th Floor Shaan E Noor Apartment No 20 51st Cross Millers Roadbenson Townna Bangalore-560046-LBBNG00005186430/ LBBNG00005186457/ LBBNG00005336728	A Schedule All that piece and parcel of the House property bearing No.20 formerly Known as No.23, consisting of ground plus form floor building, Ward No.63 PID 92-30-20, PID NO.063-W-0149-9 of Building SHAAN-E-NOOR situated at 1st cross, Millers Road, Benson Town, Bangalore 560046. East to West—63+31+8.75+16.75 feet. Approximately 2 North to South—56+68 feet approximately 2 In all measuring 3574 Sq. ft, site area with residential building Bounded on: East by : Road Known as 1st cross West by: Private property North by : Property No.24 South by : Property No.19 B Schedule All that piece and parcel of the House property bearing No.20/5, ward No.63, PID 92-30-20, PID No.063-W-0149-9 of Building SHAAN-E-NOOR, fourth floor, the portion of the A Schedule property, measuring built up area 2950 Sq. Ft, and 150 Sq. ft, car parking area and having all civic amenities and bounded on situated at 1st cross Millers Road, Benson Town, Bangalore 560046.	15.02.2022/ Rs.1,77,49, 046.00/-	15.02. 2022
2.	Mamatha T C/ Chetan R/487 1st Cross 3rd Stage 4th Block 8th Main Road Basaveshwara Nagar Bangalore- 560079-LBBNG00005151871	Schedule 'A' Property (Joint Property of the sellers on which 'DURGA FLUTE' is being constructed) All that piece and parcel of plot number 81, Municipal No.17, totally measuring 21045.62 Sq. Ft. situated at Ashokpuram Community Hall Road, Industrial Suburb, Rajajinagar, Yeshwantpur, Bangalore. The property is bounded as follows: East By: Plot number 90 West by: Road North by: Property number 80 South by: Property number 82 Schedule 'B' Property Item-I A Residential Apartment bearing No. 002 on the Ground Floor of "DURGA FLUTE" constructed on Schedule 'A' Property and measuring approximately 1800 Square feet of super built up area which is Inclusive of proportionate" share of common areas such as passages, lobbies, lifts, staircases and other areas of common use with proportionate undivided right title and Interest in Schedule 'A' property along with 1(One) Car Parking Space (also identified as No.003 as per Association) Item-II 650 Square feet of undivided right, title, Interest and ownership in Schedule 'A' property.	02.02.2022/ Rs.1,02,56, 998.00/-	06.03. 2021
3.	Shashi Kumar/ Chaitra/ Flat No 303, Third Floor Baldota Luxuria Block 3 UTT, Padmanabha Nagar Middle Class Area, Khata No 12/4/3, Bangalore- 560070-LBBNG00005116987/ LBBNG00005133511	Schedule 'A' Property (Entire Property) All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Municipal No.12, PID No.55-120-12, Situated at 6th Cross, Revenue Layout, kattriguppe Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Padmanabhanagar, Bangalore, Presently comes under the limits of Bruhath Bangalore Mahanagara Palike and bearing New Municipal No.12/4, New BBMP PID No.55-120-12/4, Ward No.55-Padmanabhanagar, Bangalore, measuring East to West: 35.5 feet and North to South: (52.0+53.5)/2 feet and totally measuring 1865 square feet and bounded on the: East by: Site No.51 West by: 12 feet passage and remaining portion of the same property: North by: Remaining portion of the same property belonging to Ms.Meghana and South by: Road. Schedule "B" Property (Description of the UN-divided interest in the land herein) 466.25 square feet of Undivided Share, right, title and interest in the land comprising in Schedule 'A' Property. Schedule "C" Property (Property herein conveyed) All that piece and parcel of residential Apartment No.303, in the Third floor, New BBMP Flat Katha No.12/4-3, PID No.55-120-12/4-3, with a super built up area of 1500 Sq. feet, in the residential apartment building Known as "BALDOTA LUXURIA-BLOCK-3", constructed over the Schedule 'A' Property, having vitrified tiles flooring with one covered car parking place in the Basement/stilt floor, bearing No.303, along with water, electricity and sewerage amenities together with common areas such as passages, lobbies lifts, staircase and other areas of common use.	15.01.2022/ Rs.97,28, 210.00/-	15.02. 2022
4.	V Vishnupriya/ Sathish Kumar/ No 83 Sai Nivas Building 13th Cross 5th Main Cauvery Layout GM Palya Bangalore- 560036-LBBNG00005182350/ LBBNG00005182351	(As described in the Loan document/ property document covering All that part and parcel of property bearing Site No.16E, Formed In Residentially Converted Lands In Survey No.16, Old Katha No.16, Later Bbmp Katha No.16, Then Katha Sl, No.284, Present Katha Sl, No.1580, situated at: Sonnathammanahalli Alias Thambuchetty Palya, Krishnarajapura Hobli, Erstwhile Bangalore South Taluk, Now Bangalore East Taluk, (vide Conversion Order Passed By The Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore In His Official Memorandum No. Aln.(e)sr(kri.hobli):149/2011-12, Dt:20.12.2011), Comes Under The Jurisdiction of Bruhath Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Bangalore, Measuring East To West 40 Feet And North To South 30 Feet, In All Measuring 1200 Square Feet And Property Belong Bounded: North: site No.16/D South: Ste No.16/F. East: Private Property West: Road	04.02.2022/ Rs.66,06, 192.00/-	04.02. 2022
5.	Guddu Kumar/ Renu Devi/277 1st Floor Thimmareddy Layout Hulimangala Jigani Hobli Anekal Taluk Bangalore- 560105-LBBNG00004934295	Schedule 'A' Property: All the piece and parcel of the Properties bearing (1) Sy. No. 16/1 measuring 1 Acre and 32 Guntas, (2) Sy. No. 16/2 measuring 1 Acre and 17 Guntas and (3) Sy. No.17 measuring 1 Acre and 28 Guntas, situated at Doddanagamangala Village. Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk. Bangalore and duty converted for non-agricultural residential purposes vide Order of the Deputy commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore, bearing No. ALN(S.B)(B.H)S.R.34/2010-11 dated 29/03/2011 and presently bearing E-Khatha No. 150200300600304924. in the records of Konnappana Agrahara Village Panchayath. Doddanagamangala Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore and bounded by: East: Private Property or Remaining Portion of Sy. No. 16/2 or Property belonging to Mr. Nanjundaappa: West: Road and Property in Sy. No.17; North: Property belonging to Sri. Reddeyappa and Property in Sy. No.18; South; Lake Yard. Schedule "B" Property; (undivided Share Hereby Conveyed) 558 Sq. Ft. Of Undivided share, right, tittle, interest and ownership in the land in Schedule "A" Property. Schedule "C" Property: (Description of Apartment Hereby Conveyed) All that Residential Apartment bearing No. 604 in Sixth Floor of Block 'Bella' in the project 'FIESTA HOMES BY SJR PRIME CORP' built in Schedule 'A' Property and apartment measuring 1293sqft of built up area and 269sqft of proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, lifts. Staircases and other areas of common use and totally measuring 1562sqft of super built up area approximately with right to use One Top Covered Car Parking Space/s in the Basement Floor/Stilt/Ground Level and the Apartment is bounded by East: Entrance and Lobby in Sixth Floor in Block 'BELLA' of 'FIESTA HOMES BY SJR PRIME CORP' West: Open towards open Space in 'FIESTA HOMES BY SJR PRIME CORP' North; Open towards open Space in 'FIESTA HOMES BY SJR PRIME CORP' South: Open towards open Space in 'FIESTA HOMES BY SJR PRIME CORP'The walls are built out of solid Blocks and Cement with RCC Roofing and vitrified/Ceramic Flooring and it has electricity. Water and sanitary connections. The wood used is Teak/Sal and windows are made of UPVC	02.02.2022/ Rs.45,74, 825.00/-	04.10. 2021
6.	M S Lakshminarayan/ Ms Banumathi/ Ratnamma/ Shreyas LNO 941 MIG 20th Cross Near Police Booth J P Nagar 1st Stage Mysore- 570008-LBMYS00004933611	(As described in the Loan document/ property document covering All that piece and parcel of the property Bearing House No. MIG-941, Situated at J P Nagar, 1st stage, D Block, Nachanahalli Village, Khille Mohalla, Mysore City. (Admeasuring an area of Measuring East to West: 50 Ft. South to North: 35 Ft. site, in that 8.86 Sq. RCC House with Electricity,Water and other sanitary Facilities. And 50% Undivided share in Land. North: Property No-940, South: Property No-942, East: Property No-956 West: Road,	07.12.2021/ Rs. 16,52,530.00/-	04.09. 2021
7.	Nirmala Kakulavaram/ K Narasamma/ No G-2 Ground Floor Kesar Residency, G Block 60 Feet Road Sahakar Nagar Bangalore-560092- LBBNG00002014491	(Description of entire Property) All that piece and parcel of a residential Site bearing BBMP Khata No.No. 1554/209/3, 4,6,8, and formed out of converted land bearing Sy. Nos.209/3, 209/4, 209/8,209/6 AND 209/7 of Kodigehalli Village, Yelhanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk and converted for residential purposes vide Official Memorandum bearing Nos.BDS/ALN(NA)/SR/65/94-95 dated 08.12.1994, Official memorandum bearing No.ALN (NAY) SR11/2006-07, official Memorandum bearing No ALN (NAY)/SR/28/2005-06 dated 27.03.2007 & Official Memorandum bearing No BDS/ALN (S.A) SR 48/94-95 located in the limits of Kodigehalli Village, Yelhanka Hobli,Bangalore North Taluk,in all measuring 3,48,480 sq.ft. And bounded on the: East by: Road West by: Canara Bank Layout North by: Canara Bank layout South by: Private Property Schedule 'B' (Description of undivided share hereby conveyed) Share corresponding to 393/348480 Sq. ft., undivided right, title and interest in the Schedule 'A' Property to be conveyed to the purchaser herein. Schedule 'C' (Description of the Apartment hereby conveyed) All that piece and parcel of Apartment bearing No.005 'C1' Type, situated in Daffodil Block, on the Ground Floor in the Apartment Building known as "Alpine Pyramid" constructed in the property described in the Schedule 'A' Property hereto, with details and other attributes given hereunder:- Super built-up area: 1257 Sq.ft., vitrified tiles flooring, sal wood doors aluminium windows including proportionate share in balconies, common areas attributable thereto a share in the area of the Club House and limited access to terrace area, i.e., from the lift room to the water tank for the purpose of repairs, and along with One Semi-Covered car parking Space.	15.11.2021/ Rs. 20,46,872.00/-	11.05. 2021

The steps are being taken for substituted service of notice. The above borrower/s and/or their guarantors (as applicable) are advised to make the payments of outstanding within period of 60 days from the date of publication of this notice else further steps will be taken as per the provisions of Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.

Date : April 05, 2022
Place: Bangalore, Mysore

Authorized Officer
ICICI Bank Limited

Sweden recommended a 4th dose to people 65 and over as well as those living in nursing homes or getting home care. The new guideline drops the age from an earlier recommendation for a 4th shot to people 80 and older

IIT Guwahati has developed a technology that rates the motors and batteries of electric vehicles and suggests to the original equipment manufacturers the best drivetrain components for the Indian scenario

China defends separating kids from parents

Under the country's unbending Covid controls, anyone found positive, even if asymptomatic or with a mild infection, must be isolated

COVID

SHANGHAI: Shanghai health officials on Monday defended separating babies and young children from their parents if they test positive for Covid-19, as frustration at the city's tough virus controls builds.

Around 25 million people remain locked down in China's largest city and financial centre, as authorities try to snuff out the country's most severe outbreak since the end of the first wave in early 2020.

Under China's unbending virus controls, anyone found positive—even if they are asymptomatic or have a mild infection—must be isolated from non-infected people.

That includes children who test positive but whose family members do not, health officials confirmed on Monday, defending a policy which has spread anxiety and outrage across the city.

"If the child is younger than seven years old, those children will receive treatment in a public health centre," Wu Qianyu, an official from the Shanghai Municipal Health Commission, said on Monday.

"For older children or teenagers... we are mainly isolating them in centralised (quarantine) places."

Parents and guardians voiced their anger at the policy on social media.

"Parents need to meet 'conditions' to accompany their children? That's absurd... it should be their most basic right," one unnamed commenter wrote on social media platform Weibo.

Unverified videos of babies and young children in state-run wards have been widely shared on the social media.

Workers and volunteers look on in a compound where residents are tested for the Covid-19 pandemic in Shanghai on Monday | AFP

But Shanghai official Wu said the policy was integral to virus "prevention and control work". She added that children and parents who test positive would be able to stay together as a single family. Frustration is mounting in Shanghai, which on Monday recorded 9,000 new cases and is the epicentre of the outbreak. Authorities initially promised not to lock down the whole city, instead targeting virus clusters with localised lockdowns of specific compounds or districts.

After weeks of growing case numbers, city officials last week gave a rare admission of failure of their tactics.

They introduced a two-stage lockdown, initially billed as lasting four days each to mass test both sides of the city.

Lockdown continues

Several days on, residents fear they are under a prolonged stay-at-home order by stealth, unable to exercise outside or walk dogs and with limited access to fresh food.

While the confinement was in theory set to be lifted on Tuesday, the Shanghai government's official WeChat account said it would stay in place due to the high number of positive cases detected.

China's zero-Covid strategy is under extreme pressure as the virus whips across the country, with another outbreak in the northeast.

Until the month of March, China had successfully kept the daily caseload down to double or triple digits, with harsh localised lockdowns, mass testing and travel restrictions.

More than 38,000 health workers from 15 provinces have been sent to Shanghai to help fight the outbreak, state broadcaster CCTV reported Monday, quoting the Ministry of Health.

On Monday the nationwide caseload topped 13,000 for a second day as the daily infection tally hit rates unseen since mid-February 2020.

Just 1% of people breathe healthy air

POLLUTION

GENEVA: The UN health agency says nearly everybody in the world breathes air that doesn't meet its standards for air quality, calling for more action to reduce fossil-fuel use, which generates pollutants that cause respiratory and blood-flow problems and lead to millions of preventable deaths each year. The World Health Organization (WHO), about six months after tightening its guidelines on air quality, on Monday issued an update to its database on air quality that draws on information from a growing number of cities, towns, and villages across the globe—now totaling over 6,000 municipalities.

WHO said 99 per cent of the global population breathes air that exceeds its air-quality limits and is often rife with particles that can penetrate deep into the lungs, enter the veins and arteries, and cause disease. Air quality is poorest in WHO's Eastern Mediterranean and Southeast Asia regions, followed by Africa, it said.

"After surviving a pandemic, it is unacceptable to still have 7 million preventable deaths and countless preventable lost years of good health due to air pollution," said Dr. Maria Neira, head of WHO's department of environment, climate change and health. "Yet too many investments are still being sunk into a polluted environment rather than in clean, healthy air."

The database, which has traditionally considered two types of particulate matter known as PM2.5 and PM10, for the first time has included ground measurements of nitrogen dioxide. The last version of the database was issued in 2018. Nitrogen dioxide originates mainly from human-generated burning of fuel, such as through automobile traffic, and is most common in urban areas.

Exposure can bring respiratory disease like asthma and symptoms like coughing, wheezing and difficulty in breathing, and more hospital and emergency-room admissions, WHO said. The highest concentrations were found in the eastern Mediterranean region.

Man gets 90 shots to sell forged vax passes

COVID

BERLIN : A 60-year-old man allegedly had himself vaccinated against Covid-19 dozens of times in Germany in order to sell forged vaccination cards with real vaccine batch numbers to people not wanting to get jabbed themselves.

The man from the eastern Germany city of Magdeburg, whose name was not released in line with German privacy rules, is said to have received up to 90 shots in the eastern state of Saxony for months until police caught him.

The suspect was not detained but is under investigation for unauthorised issuance of vaccination cards and document forgery. He was caught at a vaccination centre in Eilenburg in Saxony when he showed up for a Covid-19 shot for the second day in a row. Police confiscated several blank vaccination cards from him and initiated criminal proceedings.

It was not immediately clear what impact the approximately 90 shots, which were from different brands, had on the man's personal health.

German police have conducted many raids in connection with forgery of vaccination passports in recent months. Many deniers refuse to get vaccinated, but at the same time want to access public places.

RESCUED TO SAFETY

Two protected juvenile agile gibbons after they were seized from illegal traders in Pekanbaru, Indonesia on Monday | AFP

PHYSICAL POSSESSION NOTICE

ICICI Bank | **Branch Office:** ICICI Bank Ltd. 4/10, Mythree Tower, Bommanhalli Hosur Main Road Bangalore-560068

Whereas

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of ICICI Bank Limited under the Securitisation, Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) rules 2002, issued demand notices upon the borrowers mentioned below, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

As the borrower failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/ her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the below-mentioned dates. The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of ICICI Bank Limited.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Loan Account Number	Description of Property/ Date of Physical Possession	Date of Demand Notice/ Amount in Demand Notice (Rs.)	Name of Branch
1.	Muzammil Ahmed/ Mohammed Yaseen/ LBBNG00003871771	Schedule 'A' Property All That Piece and Parcel of Converted Immovable Property Bearing old Sy No, 55/9, New No, 55/9B, Situated at Jarakabande Kaval Village, Yalahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, (Vide Conversation order No ALN(NAY)SR/83/06-07 Dated 23-10-08) Measuring 1 Acres 25% Guntas (Including Kharab Land)schedule 'B' Property (Subject Matter of Development) All That Piece and Parcel of Immovable Property Being A Portion of The Schedule A Property, Presently Bearing BBMP Khata No.1160/55/9B, Measuring 1 acre 21 ½ Guntas Including Karab Land or 66, 973.5 Sq. Ftschedule 'C' Property (Property Conveyed Under This Deed) 602.10/66, 973.5 Share of Undivided Interest in The Schedule B Property Equivalent to 602.10 Sq. Ft of Land Together With The Schedule D Flat, is The Specific Matter Conveyed Herein Which is Being The Owner's Share Under The Joint Development Agreement. Schedule 'D' Property Flat Flat No.408 on The Third Floor, L Block, of The Building Known as Bml Palms Being Constructed on The Sanctioned Plan Vide LP No, 103/12-13 Dated. 13-06-2012, Issued By The Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Khata No.1160/55/9B-I408, Ward No.11, Singapura Layout, Kuvempunagar, Situated at Jarakabande Kaval Vilage, Vidyaranyapuram Post, Bangalore, Consisting of Hall Cum Dining Room Three Bed Rooms, Kitchen, Bathrooms and Toilets, Balconies Etc., Along With Common areas and Facilities Attributable Therein With A Super Built Up area of 1488 Sq. Ft and A Car Parking Lot in The Basement For The Exclusive Use of The Purchasers. The Flat is Rcc Roofing, Mosaic Flooring With The Jungle Wood Doors and Steel Windows./ Date of Physical Possession- 30.03.2022	26.03.2021 Rs. 72,39,082.00/-	Bangalore

The above-mentioned borrowers(s)/ guarantors(s) are hereby given a 30 day notice to repay the amount, else the mortgaged properties will be sold on the expiry of 30 days from the date of publication of this Notice, as per the provisions under the Rules 8 and 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.

Date : April 05, 2022
Place: Bangalore

Authorized Officer
ICICI Bank Limited

PUBLIC NOTICE

The General public is hereby informed that, our clients proposes to purchase the Schedule Property from its owner Mr. Stephen Arunkumar Lakshmipathy S/of Late Mr. M. N. Lakshmipathy R/at:No. 258 A Kabod,2nd Cross, 9th Main, Mathikere, Bangalore – 560054. It has been represented by him that the SCHEDULE PROPERTY originally belonged to his mother Mrs. Alice Lakshmipathy, who purchased Sy.No.32 measuring 0-19 guntas vide sale deed dated 29-04-1999 registered as document no: 10595/2000-01, in the office of Sub-Registrar, Bangalore North Taluk and Sy.No.34 measuring 2-32 acres, under sale deed dated 29-04-1999 registered as document no: 899/1999-2000, CD No.UD22, in the office of Sub-Registrar, Bangalore North Taluk and the said Mrs.Alice Lakshmipathy expired on 03-05-2018 and his father Mr.M.N.Lakshmipathy died on 24-06-2009 and the SCHEDULE PROPERTY devolved upon himself and his sister Mrs.Helen Jayanth and said Mrs.HelenJayanth released her rights in his favour vide Release Deed dated 24-12-2018 registered as document No:RJN-1-03916-2018-19 in the office of the sub registrar Rajajinagar, Bangalore.It has been represented by him that, the Schedule Property is free from all encumbrances, claims, inheritance, agreements, MOU, litigations, acquisitions, etc., and he is in peaceful enjoyment and possession of the Schedule Property and none else has got any right, title, interest or claim in the schedule property.

Any person/s, whomsoever having any right, title, interest, demand or claim in the schedule property or any part thereof are hereby requested to intimate to the undersigned in writing supported with the documentary proof **within 8 days** from the date of publication of this notice failing which it shall be presumed that, there are no claims on the Schedule Property or claims if any are given up and waived and the objections / claims received thereafter shall neither be entertained nor be binding on our clients and our clients will proceed and complete the sale transaction.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

Item No-1 : All that piece and parcel of land in Sy.No.32/1 (old no.32) measuring 0-19 guntas, situated at Rampalya Village, Dasanpura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, converted for Industrial purpose vide order passed by Deputy Commissioner in Official Memorandum dated 07-02-2011 bearing ALN.[NDH]SR-63/10-11, and bounded on:East by: Land in Sy.No.44, West by:Remaining portion of Sy.No.32/1, North by :Road, South by:Land in Sy.No.44

Item No-2 : All that piece and parcel of land in Sy.No.44 (old no.34) measuring 2-32 Acres, situated at Rampalya Village, Dasanpura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, converted for Industrial purpose vide order passed by Deputy Commissioner in Official Memorandum dated 07-02-2011 bearing ALN.[NDH]SR-63/10-11, and bounded on; East by :Land in Sy.No.34, West by : Land in Sy.No.32, North by:Road, South by:Land in Sy.No.34.

RAJARAM HEGDE
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No. 20/16-1, "NityaShree", 32nd Cross, Behind BWSSB Office,
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STATE BANK OF INDIA

Thindlu Branch, No.262/239, Kodigehalli Main Road, Thindlu, Bengalore-560097. Ph: 080-23646606, Email: sbi.41208@sbi.co.in

GOLD LOAN AUCTION NOTICE

Auction of mortgaged ornament at State bank of India, Thindlu Branch will be held **08 April 2022 Friday Time between 11.00 am To 12.00 am**

Account Number	Gold Weight Gross wt	Gold value
39921064936	25.60 gm	97,280.00

Sd/- Branch Manager For State Bank of India

HDFC Housing Development Finance Corporation Limited

HOUSING DEVELOPMENT FINANCE CORPORATION LTD. CIN L70100MH1977PLC019916
Regd. Office: Ramon House, H T Parekh Marg, 169, Backbay Reclamation, Churchgate, Mumbai- 400020
Regional Office : HDFC House, No.51, Kasturaba Road, Bangalore - 560001. **Ph :** 080 41183000
Fax: 080 22275754, **E-mail : customer.service@hdfc.com, Website:** www.hdfc.com

E- AUCTION SALE NOTICE (Sale through e-bidding only)

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) and 9(1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor(s) indicated in Column (A) that the below described immovable property(ties) described in Column (C) mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the constructive / physical possession of which has been taken as described in column (D) by the Authorized Officer of **Housing Development Finance Corporation Limited (HDFC Ltd)** Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** as per the details mentioned below :

Notice is hereby given to Borrower / Mortgagor(s) / legal heirs, legal representatives (whether known or unknown), executor(s), administrator(s), successor(s) and assign(s) of the respective Borrower(s) / Mortgagor(s)(since deceased), as the case may be, indicated in Column (A) under Rule 8(6) and 9(1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in **Housing Development Finance Corporation Limited (HDFC Ltd)** Secured Creditor's website i.e.

	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E) & (F)	(G)
Sl No.	Name/s of the Borrower(s)/ Mortgager(s)/ Guarantor(s)/	Outstanding dues to be recovered (Secured Debt) (Rs.)*	Description of the Immovable Property / Secured Asset (1 Sq. mtr. is equivalent to 10.76 Sq.ft)	Type of Possession	Reserve Price (Rs.) & Earnest Money Deposit (Rs)	Date of Auction and Time
1.	Mr. Abid Nasir (Borrower) and Mrs. Firdause Ghazala (Co-Borrower)	Rs.62,43,700/- (Rupees Sixty Two Lakhs Forty Three Thousand Seven Hundred Only) outstanding as on 31.07.2021 in Loan Account No. 649850218	All that piece and parcel of immovable property comprising one independent residential group housing Dwelling unit/ Villa, i.e., **unit No.159,** of the residential group housing project known as **"GEOWN OASIS"**, having a carpet area of **1050 sq.ft.** and a super built up area of **1881 Sq. ft.** along with **01 No.** of covered car parking unit, with proportionate share of **523 sq. feet** of undivided share, right title and interest in the land, on which this property is constructed which is situated on land bearing **Sy. No.s 116/2, 117/1, 117/2, 116/1,116/1, 116/1, and 118/2,** Valagere Kallahalli Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru.	Physical Possession	Rs.80,00,000/- (Rupees Eighty Lakhs Only) / Rs.8,00,000 /- (Rupees Eight Lakhs Only)	21.04.2022 12.00 PM TO 12.30 PM
2.	Mr. Martin Denny (Borrower)	Rs.34,78,81,831/- in Loan Account No. 625720780, Rs. 27,28,057/-/- in Loan Account No. 628913041 and Rs.27,95,372/- in Loan Account No. 628918060, totally accruing to Rs.35,34,05,260/- [Rupees Thirty Five Crore Thirty Four Lakhs Five Thousand Two Hundred and Sixty Only] outstanding as on 04.11.2021	All that piece and parcel of the immovable Residential Property along with residential Main House, Cottage and Garages/ Outhouses constructed thereon, bearing Municipal **No.24/1, BBMP. PID No. 76-13-24/1,** situated at Rest House Crescent, Shanthala Nagar, Ashok Nagar, Bengaluru-560001, Totally measuring **16,243 square feet** along with **5,760 square feet** built up area together with all rights, and **bounded on the:** East by : Property No.25, Rest House Crescent, West by :Property No.24, Rest House Crescent, North by : Private Property on Church Street, South by : Rest House Crescent (Road), and any construction thereon in the present and future.	Physical Possession	Rs. 36,00,00,000/- [Rupees Thirty Six Core Only] / Rs.3,60,00,000/- (Rupees Three Crore Sixty Lakhs Only)	21.04.2022 12.00 PM TO 12.30 PM

1. Inspection Date & Time: 11.04.2022 between 11.AM TO 4.PM
2. Minimum bid increment amount: Rs.5,00,000/-
3. EMD Amount Submission on or before : 18.04.2022 Before 5.00 PM

together with further interest @ 18% p.a. as applicable, incidental expenses, costs, charges etc. incurred up to the date of payment and / or realisation thereof. For any assistance related to inspection of the property, or for obtaining the Bid document and for any other queries, please get in touch with Mr. Yogesh. N/Shridhar Chinni official of HDFC Limited through Tel No.080-41182283, 080-41182126/ 9449080072/7795853045.

To the best of knowledge and information of the Authorized Officer of HDFC Ltd, there are no encumbrances in respect of the above immovable properties / Secured Assets.

Date: 05.04.2022
Place: Bangalore

For Housing Development Finance Corporation Ltd.
Sd/- Authorized Officer under SARFAESI Act, 2002

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HYDERABAD MAIN BRANCH
5-8-659, Nampally Station Road, P.B No. 134, Abids, Hyderabad, Telangana-500001
Ph: 040 23202041/ 23204225/ 23203478, Hydmain.Telangana@bankofindia.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE

whereas the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **BANK OF INDIA,** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (2) read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of the said notice.

The borrower/ guarantor having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower/ guarantor in particular and the public in general that the undersigned has taken POSSESSION of the property described herein below under Section 13(4) of the said Act. The borrower / Guarantor in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **BANK OF INDIA**

The attention of the Borrower and Guarantors is invited to provisions of Sub-Section (8) of Section 13 of the SARFAESI Act, 2002 with respect if time available to redeem the secured asset(s).

1). Name and Address of Borrower / Guarantor Amount Outstanding : Mr. Sudheer Karanam and Mrs. Archana Karanam R/o H No 6-3-790/7, Flat No 102, Classic Avenue, Ameerpet Dental Hospital, Opposite Swagath Hotel Lane, Shanthi Nagar, Ameerpet, Hyderabad-500016. **Outstanding Amount: Rs. 2,15,95,820.76** @ 10.75% rate of interest at monthly rests from 21-10-2021 with costs, expenses, charges etc.

Date of Demand Notice: 21-01-2022, Date of Possession: 04.04.2022

Description of the Immovable Property: All the piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing No.6, Old No 92/6, situated at kathriguppe Main Road, BSK III Stage, Bangalore, BBMP Ward No 54, PID No 54-21-6, measuring East to West 80 Feet and North to South 50 Feet, in all measuring 4000 Square Feet and **bounded by: East** : 80 Feet Main Road, **West :** Private Property, **North :** Cemetery, **South:** Private Property

Place:Hyderabad, Date:05.04.2022 AUTHORISED OFFICER, BANK OF INDIA

BEFORE THE HON'BLE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-II
LIC Jeevan Mangal building, No.4, Residency Road, Opp. Cash Pharmacy, Bengaluru - 560025

Ex No. 2/2020

BETWEEN :
The Federal Bank Ltd, Asset Recovery Branch ..... **Applicant**
AND:
Sri V Armugam & others .... **Defendants**

SUMMONS ISSUED TO DEFENDANT
No. 1, 2 & 3 UNDER RULE 23(viii) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES, 1993 BY PAPER PUBLICATION

D-1: Sri V Armugam, S/o Sri P Venkatesh, Residing at : No. FA 39, Old Township, Behind HAL Hospital, Bengaluru- 560017.
Also at : No. G8-125, 2nd Cross, Central Township Marathahalli, HAL, Bengaluru
D-2: Sri A Kamalakannan S/o Sri V Armugam, Residing at : No. FA 39, Old Township, Behind HAL Hospital, Bengaluru- 560017.
D-3: Sri M Govindaraj S/o Sri K Bhadraiah R/at : G 408, 5th Main, Old Township, HAL, Bengaluru-560017.

Whereas, the applicant has filed an application Under Section 31- A of the Recovery of Debts due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 against You for recovery of **a Sum of Rs.27,19,717/-** (Rupees Twenty Seven Lakhs Nineteen Thousand Seven hundred Seventeen only) together with interest and for other reliefs. You are hereby summoned to appear and file written statement before this Tribunal at 10.30 a.m. or at such time immediately thereafter according to the convenience of Tribunal on **12.07.2022** to answer the claim.

2. You are directed to collect the annexure on your appearance before the Tribunal.
3. If you Intend to file any documents, you may file the same with a list along with the written statement.
4.You Should file your registered address and a memo of appearance when you enter appearance before the Tribunal either in person or by a Pleader / Advocate duly instructed.
5. Take notice that, in default of, your appearance on the day mentioned herein before the proceeding will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Tribunal on this **25.03.2022**

By Order of the Tribunal
Sd/- The REGISTRAR
Debts Recovery Tribunal-II
Bengaluru

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank

REGIONAL OFFICE - WEST

[Format-Y] E-Auction Sale Notice under SARFAESI Act 2002

Sale of immovable assets under the Securitization and Reconstructions of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Hereinafter referred to as the Act).

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and to the Borrower/s and Guarantor/s in particular that the under mentioned property mortgaged to Canara Bank, Bangalore, the possession of which had been taken by the Authorised Officer of the Bank under Section13(4) of the Act will be sold by E-Auction as mentioned below for recovery of under mentioned dues and applicable interest, charges and cost etc as detailed below.

The property described below is being sold on "AS IS WHERE IS, WHATEVER THERE IS AND WITHOUT RECOURSE BASIS" under rule no. 8 & 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules (hereinafter referred to as the rules) for the recovery of the dues detailed as under:

Branch Address: Authorised Officer, Canara Bank, Hegganahalli Branch, Bengaluru

Name and address of Borrower : Balaji Petro Chemicals, Proprietor: Mrs. Sowmya, Office at No 2, Shop No 3, Neelagir Thop 2nd Main, Sundakadakatte, Bengaluru-560091. Mrs.Soumya D/o Seetharam, No 32A, 2nd Main, 4th Cross, Bapuji Nagar, Bengaluru-560026.
The total amount due : **Rs.26,58,744.54/-** as on 04.04.2022 plus further interest and cost.
Description of the Immovable Property: All that piece and parcel of land in the name of Mrs. Sowmya situated at Site No No.1, Honnaganahatti Village, Chennenahalli Gram Panchayat, Tavarekere Hobli, Bengaluru South TQ. measuring East to West 40 ft and North to South 30 ft within the jurisdiction of Registration District of Bengaluru South and bounded as: East : Road, West : Road, North: Site No:2, South: Road.. **Known encumbrances, if any:** Not to the knowledge of the Bank.

The details regarding E-Auction are mentioned below:

Date and Time of E-Auction	20-04-2022 11.00 AM to 12.30 PM	
Reserve price / Earnest money Deposit (EMD)	Reserve Price (Rs. in Lakhs)	EMD (Rs. in Lakhs)
	Rs. 11.00 lakhs	Rs. 1.10 lakhs
Details of Auction Service Provider	M/s.CANBANK COMPUTER SERVICES LTD Contact no 9480691777/8553643144;-e- mail: eauction@ccsl.co.in. Contact Person name:-MR PAKHARE D D /MR. RAMESH T H	
DD Favoring on RTGS/NEFT/Fund Transfer	Authorised officer, Canara Bank, Hegganahalli branch, A/c No 6928295000001 IFSC Code: CNRB0006928 on or before 19.04.2022 - 5.00 p.m	
Bid Factor	Rs.25,000/-	
Date & Time of Inspection	19.04.2022, 10.00 AM to 5.00 PM	

1. The EMD shall be deposited through RTGS/NEFT/Fund Transfer to the credit of respected Accounts Mentioned above before submitting bids online. EMD can also be paid by way of Pay Order / Demand Draft in favour of Canara Bank Payable at Bangalore.
2. The intending bidders should submit the duly filled in Bid form (format available in the above website) along with DD/PO/quoting the UTR No. of NEFT/RTGS remittance towards EMD in a sealed cover addressed to the Authorised Officer, Canara Bank, Above Mentioned Address (Address of AO) so as to reach on or before above mentioned date.
3. Bidders are advised to visit the Bank's website **https://www.indianbanksauction.com** for detailed e-auction notice wherein all the terms and conditions of e-auction sale are furnished. Bidders may also visit the website of service provider or contact them as per the details given above for any clarifications/queries.
4. Intending bidders shall hold a valid Digital Signature Certificate, active email address and PAN number.
5. The undersigned has the absolute right and discretion to accept or reject any bid or postpone/cancel the sale or modify any terms and conditions of the sale without any prior notice and assigning any reason.
6. The sale shall be subject to the terms and conditions prescribed in the Act, Rules and the conditions prescribed in the detailed terms and conditions published in the website.
7. For further details contact the Authorized Officer, Canara Bank, Above Mentioned address.

Please treat this also as a notice under rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) rules 2002 to the borrower/s and guarantor/s / mortgagor/s of the secured debt mentioned above regarding holding the said sale on the above mentioned date and time if their outstanding dues mentioned above are not re paid in full.

The interested bidders are requested to visit the bank's website for detailed terms and conditions of the auction sale which may be read as part and parcel of this advertisement

Note: EMD Shall be stipulated at 10% of the reserve price.*depending upon the asset of movable or immovable or both – retain the respective portion.

Place : Bengaluru
Date : 04.04.2022

Sd/- AUTHORISED OFFICER
CANARA BANK

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DAY'S DIARY

Longest bridge

On this day in 1998, the world's longest suspension bridge, Akashi Kaikyo Bridge was inaugurated in Japan after 10 years of construction

RECORD HOLDER

Also known as the Pearl Bridge, it has a record span of 1,991 m. The same is 366 m longer than the previous record holder: the StoreBaelt in Denmark

EFFORTS

It cost an estimated 500 billion Japanese yen (US $3.6 billion) to build the bridge. Construction began in 1988 and involved more than 100 contractors

COMPLEX INFRASTRUCTURE

It is in a seismically unstable region. Engineers used a complex system of counterweights, pendulums, and steel-truss girders to withstand impact

Dhanveerrah to star in Jayathirtha's Kaiva

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Music composer Ricky Kej, who bagged a second Grammy award along with rock legend Stewart Copeland, is still soaking in the excitement of the big win

'IT ALL FEELS SURREAL'

MONIKA MONALISA

THE entire country was beaming with pride when music composer Ricky Kej walked onto stage to collect his award at the 64th Grammy Awards, held at Las Vegas' MGM Grand Marquee Ballroom, for his album *Divine Tides*. Many people, who knew him or had got a chance to meet him, didn't waste a second in posting their pictures with him on social media, making the victory a personal one.

Kej received his second Grammy award, along with rock legend and drummer Stewart Copeland, for the album nominated in 'Best New-Age Album' category. Walking onto stage wearing a bandhgala jacket, the Bengaluru boy won hearts when he touched Copeland's feet out of respect and greeted the audience with a 'Namaste'.

Speaking to *CE* from Las Vegas, Kej – who has been attending the Grammy ceremonies since 2015, the year he won his first – says the award has been an amazing experience but this time was extra special since he shares it with Copeland, his childhood idol. "This particular Grammy is extra special because it's with Stewart Copeland, who I have hero-worshipped. He is someone I have looked up to all my life. I literally had posters of him on my walls, so sharing an award feels surreal. In fact, the whole experience feels that way," says a calm and composed Kej, adding that the excitement is yet to sink in.

Divine Tides is a collaboration between Copeland and Kej and was released in July 2021. According to Kej, the underlying theme of this album is co-existence, which includes co-existing with nature or the human species. "The album was created remotely with Copeland working from his studios in Los Angeles and me from mine in Bengaluru. The album has been composed over hundreds of messages, Skype and Zoom calls," laughs Kej.

Ricky Kej and Stewart Copeland

> *I believe in environmental causes, rehabilitation of refugees and children's education. These are the kind of topics that I make music on. You will not find me making music for an outright commercial Bollywood movie*
>
> Ricky Kej, music composer

While the award is special, it's his meeting with Copeland that he considers the highlight of this trip. "For me, the most exciting part has been spending time with Stewart, more than the award actually. It took us about a year to create the album, especially with the ongoing pandemic. Last week was the first time I met him in person, in Nashville. We spent some quality time in LA and now at the Grammys," says Kej.

The only kind of music Kej wants to work on are those which are an extension of his personality. "I believe in environmental causes and sustainability, rehabilitation of refugees or children's education. These are the kind of topics that I make music on. You will not find me making music for an outright commercial Bollywood movie," says Kej.

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Speed test

After 10-minute grocery &food delivery, here's a city startup that is experimenting with a 10-minute internship hiring concept

SANATH PRASAD

IT all started with a meme featuring the Godzilla and King Kong face-off which symbolised the current competition between the 10-minute grocery and food delivery initiatives in the quick e-commerce ecosystem. However, the meme also put up a challenge to conduct a 10-minute internship hiring process on the same lines of the delivery process. **Subash Choudhary**, co-founder of Dukaan, which helps startups launch businesses online, actually accepted this challenge.

On April 1, Choudhary and his team pulled-off a unique feat where they hired 12 interns – out of the 40 candidates – who applied for the 10-minute internship hiring slot for the role of a front-end developer. Although netizens thought this was an April fool's prank, the startup worked in real-time to take on the challenge. They even gave the offer letter to the selected candidates post the interview. While some joined the team on Monday, some are expected to join in the coming days. The first intern to be hired hails from Kashmir, and will be moving to Bengaluru for the summer internship.

Choudhary explains that with lack of time and just three members in the hiring team, the company was not ready for a long-haul internship process that would extend to multiple rounds over several days. With deadlines closing in and the demand for jobs increasing, the team had no choice but to fast-track the hiring process equal to the viral quick e-commerce trend. "We are not obsessed with the 10-minute catchword. This was an experiment. It was more about making the recruitment process quick and efficient. We announced hiring on a short notice, but the number of candidates who applied were 40, overshooting the 24 slots that were scheduled. We had a tech team in place which ensured that the candidates passed their virtual interview process without hassles," says Choudhary, who adds that selected candidates will be paid a stipend of ₹35,000 or more each month depending on their performance.

10-MINUTE FUNDA

- **Phase 1:** Candidate presents his/her projects to a three-member team comprising the HR team(4 minutes)
- **Phase 2:** Candidate is transferred to a tech-lead team which reviews the project and gives feedback (3 minutes)
- **Phase 3:** Candidate is then transferred to the co-founder who rejects or admits based on the ratings of Phase 1 or Phase 2 (3 minutes or more)

* Timings are subject to variation

The interview process was held in three phases, between 11.30 am and 9.30 pm on April 1. Candidates were first introduced to a set of three members comprising the HR team. The three-member team spent about four minutes briefing the candidate about the internship process and going through the candidate's profile and project works. The second phase, consisting of two tech-lead members, reviewed the project of the candidate, which took about three minutes. After which, Choudhary took around three minutes to interview the candidate and accept or reject them based on the rankings submitted by the members of the first two phases. "I would select or reject the candidate based on the assessment of the technical team. It is of course not fair to judge a candidate in 10 minutes. If we find that we went wrong in hiring any one of the interns, it is absolutely okay. It would be a learning for us. In fact I spent more than 10 minutes with candidates who I felt would make it to the team," says Choudhary.

CITY READ

BEL signs agreement with Army Design Bureau

Navratna Defence PSU Bharat Electronics Limited (BEL) signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with the Army Design Bureau (ADB) of Indian Army for collaboration in the field of Artificial Intelligence (AI) for defence applications. The MoU seeks to bring together the Indian Army, ADB and BEL under one roof to jointly carry out research activities for the development of innovative AI solutions for the Indian Army. BEL and ADB will co-develop AI-based projects for the Indian Army.

Restaurant to launch Queer Festival

Social is presenting Satrangi Mela, the third edition of a day-long queer festival. The event aims to promote queer talent and queer-owned businesses. The fest will be marked by art, music, food, drinks and a series of activities including tattooing stations, workshops, open mic for queer artist, afterparty with DJ and much more. The festival will take place on April 10, between 12 pm and 10 pm.

Council celebrates Foundation Day

Public Relations Council of India (PRCI) recently celebrated its 18th Foundation Day across 50 chapters in India. The Bengaluru chapter, celebrated the occasion by commemorating its founding members and recognising PRCI's development over the years with high-tea in a hotel in Bengaluru.

In a first, this three-day Bengali Film Festival includes nine feature films, seven short films and a documentary

Bengal to B'luru

EXPRESS FEATURES

THEATRE and movies are an integral part of a Bengali's life. Which is why, Bengaluru, which has a large Bengali crowd, will soon witness a three-day Bengali Film Festival organised by Kolaj Bengali Association, from April 8 to 10, at St John's Auditorium, Koramangala.

This film festival will be a star-studded event with popular actors such as Moonmoon Sen, Rituparna Sengupta, Swastika Mukherjee, Sreelekha Mitra, Rudranil Ghosh, Joy Sengupta, Sourav Das and Rwitabrata Mukherjee, in attendance. Agnimitra Paul, member of the legislative assembly of West Bengal, will be the guest of honour.

Right from the time of Satyajit Ray, Bengali movies have always stood out with their attempts to mirror society. The three-day festival will see nine Bengali feature films being screened. Movies such as Subhasish Mukherjee and Joy Sengupta-starrer film *Sohorer Upokotha*, Aparna Sen's *Bohomaan*, and Rituparna Sengupta-starrer film *Beautiful Life*, are some of the films part of the festival. Apart from the nine feature films, seven short films will also be screened, including *Bodhon* and *Okiagari*. The documentary film, *1971*, will also be screened.

A still from the film, *Bohomaan*

Abir Banerjee, film festival director, secretary and co-founder of Kolaj, hopes the festival turns out to be a community-building activity for like-minded people. "Bengaluru has now become a second home for Bengalis. There are 14 lakh Bengalis residing in the city, and cinema is an integral part of every Bengali's life. To strike that chord with the community, we are bringing a plethora of films and their casts closer to those living in Bengaluru," says Banerjee, adding, "This event will also help in expanding the viewership base of Bengali cinema and boosting the film industry. It's a win-win situation wherein people get to experience Bengali cinema in their city and will also strengthen the popularity of the Bengali film industry." Apart from movies, the festival will also have a book launch and an expo of food jewellery and handicraft.

Kolaj, a three-day film festival, will begin on April 8 and conclude on April 10, at St John's Auditorium, Koramangala.

STARTUP WATCH

Backstory

Buyofuel was founded by Kishan Karunakkaran, Prasad Nair, Sumanth Kumar and Venkateswaran Selvan in 2020. The startup is an online marketplace for raw material producers, biofuel consumers that aims to be a reliable platform for the green fuel industry.

(From left): Prasad Nair, Kishan Karunakkaran , Sumanth Kumar, Venkatateswaran Selvan

Finance Funda

The startup has raised ₹1.6 crore from Inflection Point Ventures

USP

The founders aim to bring raw material aggregators who need to find production sources, manufacturers who need to find reliable aggregators to source the type of materials they want and consumers who need to buy good-quality green fuels, under one roof. It is working towards making green fuels the standard to reclaim a healthy, emission-free future where green fuels become commonplace in the world.

Target Audience

It targets fuel consumers like the, transport sector; biofuel manufacturers, organic waste suppliers and sources.

WHAT WHEN WHY WHERE

SPLASH OF COLOURS

Just be Resto Cafe, Sadashivanagar, is launching 'Wine & paint', a social painting activity. The theme aims to indulge diners in expressing themselves on canvas through paintings as they sip on wine. Event availability on pre-booking only. **When:** April 9 **For details,** call : 7353773695

SAY CHEERS

Renaissance Bengaluru Race Course Hotel is introducing Evenings at R Bar, an experience filled with a wide range of beverages. The offerings include Bar Ritual, Grass to Glass, Stir and Shake among others.

BEAT THE HEAT

Gawky Goose- Kitchen & Bar is introducing an all-new "Summer Menu". It includes a varied range of dishes from various cuisines, including cold soups like the tropical gazpacho, Indian polenta salad, avocado rose salad, Vietnamese rice paper roll, desserts like rosy lady, and nutty pudding. **When:** Till April 17 **Reservations :** 09901787273

GET ADVENTUROUS

Wonderla Bangalore introduces a new ride called Tarantula. Get ready to pump your adrenaline as the new high-thrill ride takes you on a tough adventure. **For bookings,** visit Wonderla website.

WEMOVE THEATRE IS STAGING ITS KANNADA PLAY *LOCKDOWN* ON APRIL 7 AT 7.30PM IN RANGA SHANKARA, JP NAGAR, TICKETS: BOOKMYSHOW.COM

Party Time

Sunburn Arena makes a comeback with Alan Walker for his exclusive India Tour 2022. He's the hitmaker of songs *Faded*, *Alone*, *On My Way* and more. **When:** April 14 onwards **Details:** bookmyshow.com

Rudrakha Exhibition

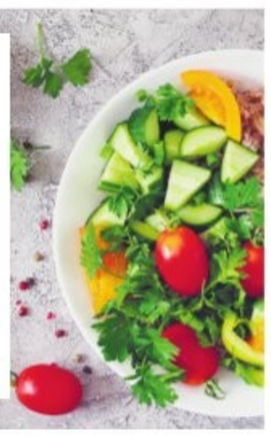
Rudralife is organising an exhibition-cum-sale of Rudraksha. You can choose from various combinations, including Saraswati Bandh, Kaal Sarp Dosh, and Gaurishankar rudraksha, among others. **When:** Till April 5 **Where:** Hotel Ajantha, MG Road **Details:** 932 00 77018

Kathak Performance

Kathak dancer Yuktha Pawar, disciple of dancer Simran Godhwani, will be presenting her Kathak Rangpravesh. **When:** April 10, 5.30 pm **Where:** Satya Sai Auditorium, Koramangala

Eat Healthy

MoMo Café at Courtyard by Marriott, Bellandur, is offering a wide range of healthy diet menu. It includes Quinoa Apple Kheer, Multigrain Khichdi with Edamame and Haricot Beans, Barley Curd Rice, Bajra Kachumber with citrus fruits, Baked fish with Sauce Vierge among others. **Price:** ₹ 1,099++ For reservations, **call:** 95136 53156



Dance Workshop

High on Heels presents Soar 4.0. Artistes Dhiraj Bhakshi, Donny, Hari Haran, Akanksha Sharma and Bhaskar Kittu will be performing. **When:** April 8-10 **Details:** 81472 47706

Dance Workshop

This workshop explores primary and technical movements on a wider scale that are inspired by floorwork, animal flow, yoga and mobility workouts. During the session, you will be playing with gravity, time, momentum, weight and emotions while using all the possibilities of the human body with creative and fresh methods. **When:** April 8 **Where:** Artkhoj, JP Nagar

QUICK FIX

What's cooking

IN YOUR KITCHEN? We are hungry for recipes with minimum ingredients and maximum flavours. Share your quick-fix with us, along with step-by-step photos, at cityexpresschn@gmail.com.

GREEN PASTA

INGREDIENTS

- **Dry spaghetti:** 200 gm
- **Spinach puree:** 1 cup
- **Garlic cloves:** 3; **Sesame:** 1 tbsp; **Cayenne pepper:** 2
- **Black pepper:** 1 tsp
- **Cold pressed coconut oil:** 1 tsp; Thick coconut milk: 1/2 cup
- **Pomegranate seeds:** 1 cup
- **Water:** 2 cups, **Salt** as per taste

METHOD

- Heat coconut oil in a pan. Saute minced garlic for 30 seconds.
- Add chopped cayenne pepper, spinach puree, crushed black pepper. Saute for 30 seconds.
- Add water and let it come to a boil.
- Add pasta, salt as required.
- Add thick coconut milk and lightly toasted sesame seeds. Give it a mix and serve immediately.
- Garnish with pomegranate seeds.

–Sai Priya, Bengaluru (IG: @mycookingcanvas)

FIT BIT

SHIVA LINGA MUDRA

(UPRIGHT MUDRA)

This mudra symbolises the integration of the energies of Shiva and Shakti, the Hindu deities. The right hand with the upright thumb represents masculine force and the left hand symbolises feminine energy. The power of the mudra to address physical and mental fatigue is supreme. Regular practice is believed to help keep one healthy and energised. This also makes you feel grounded, with the focus on Muladhara (Root) Chakra, which helps in relieving anxiety and stress by calming the mind.

STEPS

- Start in Sukhasana, Padmasana, Siddhasana or seated on a chair.
- Bring the left hand close to your navel with fingers outstretched, palms facing up.
- Then, close your right hand into a fist, with fingers curled inwards but with the thumb pointing up.
- Bring that hand over the open left palm, and place it right at the centre.
- Breathe slow and deep, close your eyes, extend the spine.
- Now, make sure the elbows are open sideways, away from the body, with the chest open and take your shoulders back.
- Aware of the breathing, focus on the palms and the Muladhara Chakra to feel grounded and centred.
- Stay this way for 10 minutes, taking about 60 breaths.
- To release, relax the hands and come to Sukhasana Variation Arms Knees.
- Rub the palms and place them on your eyes, as you inhale deep to retain the energy.

BENEFITS

- The mudra represents the masculine and feminine, bringing balance between the two, the inflow and outflow of energy. It has physical and mental balance.
- Keeps the body's energy balanced, by increasing energy in the body, and retaining the right balance of the same.
- Keeps cough and cold away, ensuring the immune system is in control. Rids the body of toxins.
- Increases the fire element and keeps digestion in control.
- It can be considered for those feeling low and lost in both, energy and spirits. Also helps to keep one confident.
- It relieves stress, calms the mind and improves intuition.

LIMITATIONS

- It does not have any limitations. But care should be taken not to overdo this, since it will generate excess heat. The holding time should be no more than 15 minutes.

N. Elumalai, PhD Scholar (Yoga Science) at Meenakshi Academy of Higher Education & Research, Chennai

SOUND BOARD

SIMPLE KEN

This podcast is hosted by Kenny Sebastian, a stand-up comedian known for his observational humour and quirky stage presence. It is a simple podcast about tackling the weekly conflicts of a comedian. A strictly 'no advice' podcast.

On Google Podcasts

THE HISTORY OF INDIA

A light, weekly podcast covering the history of India, from 6th century B.C. It is hosted by Kit Patrick.

On Google Podcasts

CODE SWITCH

Hosted by journalists of colour, this podcast tackles the subject of race with empathy and humour. We explore how race affects every part of society – from politics and pop culture to history, food and everything in between. This podcast makes all of us part of the conversation – because we're all part of the story.

On Spotify

WHY WON'T YOU DATE ME?

Nicole Byer is single and has been for decades. She's smart, funny, has a fat bottom and loves giving blow jobs. So, the question is, why is she perpetually single? This podcast is a quest to find that answer. Every week, Nicole invites a comedian, friend, or ex-fling to interview their dating life and figure out her own.

On Spotify

CONA O'BRIEN NEEDS A FRIEND

Over the years and despite thousands of interviews, Conan has never made a real and lasting friendship with any of his celebrity guests. Deeper, unboundedly playful, and free from FCC regulations, Conan O'Brien Needs a Friend is a weekly opportunity for Conan to hang out with the people he enjoys most.

On Spotify

POPULAR ON YOUTUBE

DHARMADURAI

Dharmadurai, a heartbroken doctor, turns to alcohol and becomes the source of embarrassment for his family. However, a meeting with an old friend changes his life for good.

Cast: Vijay Sethupathi, Srushti Dange, Aishwarya Rajesh, Tamannaah

IRAIVI

Three men, who are financially struggling, get involved in criminal activities to improve their financial status. However, they end up in prison and their wives are forced to lead an independent life.

Cast: Vijay Sethupathi, Bobby Simha, SJ Surya, Anjali

NAMMAVAR

Selvam, the new vice principal of a college, tries to transform the behaviour of troublemaking students while fighting an inner war.

Cast: Kamal Haasan, Gautami, Karan, Nagesh

AATHI

Aadhi comes to Chennai for his education and meets Anjali, falling in love with her. Soon, they learn that they are both on a mission to avenge the death of their parents.

Cast: Vijay, Prakash Raj, Trisha, Vivek

JOKER

Mannar Mannan, a villager, declares himself as the president of India and fights corruption and social injustices

Cast: Guru Somasundaram, Ramya Pandian, Gayathri

WHAT'S ON TED TALKS

1 WHY THE SUN COULD CRASH YOUR INTERNET BY FABIO PACUCCI

In September 1859, miners following the Colorado gold rush woke up to a sunny day. To their surprise, they discovered it was actually 1 am and the sky wasn't lit by the sun, but rather by brilliant drapes of light. The blazing glow was a solar storm – the largest in recorded history. What is a solar storm? Fabio Paccuci explains this astrophysical phenomena.

2 A VISION FOR SUSTAINABILITY IN AVIATION BY SHAI WEISS

In conversation with TED's head of curation Helen Waters, Virgin Atlantic CEO Shai Weiss shares three steps the aviation industry needs to take to achieve its pledge to be net-zero by 2050 and discusses what you can do to shift airlines towards sustainability.

3 HOW TO SHARE PUBLIC MONEY FAIRLY BY MAJA BOSNIC

"We have the right to demand budgets to be equitable, to be fair," says economist Maja Bosnic. One way to get there is to make them gender-responsive. With examples from the nearly 80 countries around the world already factoring gender into public finance decisions, she shares how such budgets lead to equality and are more efficient and effective.

4 WHY THE UNIVERSE SEEMS SO STRANGE BY RICHARD DAWKINS

Biologist Richard Dawkins makes a case for "thinking the improbable" by looking at how the human frame of reference limits our understanding of the universe. Oxford professor Richard Dawkins has helped steer evolutionary science into the 21st century.

5 SIMPLICITY SELLS BY DAVID POGUE

The New York Times columnist David Pogue takes aim at technology's worst interface-design offenders, and provides encouraging examples of products that get it right. David Pogue is the personal technology columnist for the New York Times and a tech correspondent for CBS News. He's also an author, with titles in the For Dummies series and his own line of "Missing Manual" books.

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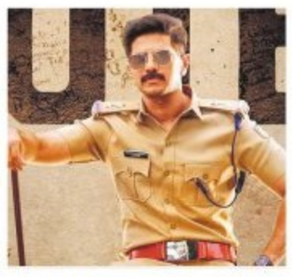

SALUTE (Malayalam)

SI Aravind Karunakaran, who is on a long leave, is haunted by an old murder case he and his brother investigated and closed while he was fabricating evidences during his service.

Cast: Dulquer Salmaan, Diana Penty, Saniya Iyappan

Watch on: Sony LIV

ACHCHAM MADAM NAANAM PAYIRPPU (Tamil)

It talks about the oppression of "female desires" through a protagonist who belongs to an "upper caste and upper-middle class family" and shows the roots to patriarchy in our society.

Cast: Akshara Haasan, Anjana Jayaprakash, Usha Uthup

Watch on: Amazon Prime Video

TIKTIKI (Bengali, series)

When a man accepts the invitation to spend an evening with his lover's husband, what starts as a series of mind games quickly turns into a deadly game of revenge, murder and more.

Cast: Anirban Bhattacharya, Kaushik Ganguly

Watch on: Hoichoi

KAUN PRAVIN TAMBE (Telugu)

The sports biopic follows the life of Pravin Tambe who made his cricket league debut at the age of 41, without having played international or first class cricket prior. In simple words, the film is about an underdog who fights all odds against him to make his dreams come true.

Cast: Shreyas Talpade, Anjali Patil, Parambrata Chatterjee

Watch on: Disney+Hotstar

AARYA (Hindi, series)

The story of Aarya revolves around Aarya Sareen, who is a caring mother and a loving wife. She is quite naïve, however, and is unaware of the illegal business her husband is a part of. Things go bad for their family after Aarya's husband Tej Sareen, a pharma baron, is mysteriously killed.

Cast: Sushmita Sen, Chandrachur Singh, Namit Das

Watch on: Disney+Hotstar

All the streaming apps can be accessed on smartphones and smart TVs with Internet connection.

COBALT BLUE (Hindi)

An aspiring author and his free-spirited sister both fall for the enigmatic paying guest at their home, ensuing events that rock their traditional family.

Cast: Prateik Babbar, Geetanjali Kulkarni, Anant Joshi

Watch on: Netflix

TAARAK MEHTA KA OOLTAH CHASHMAH (Hindi, series)

The residents of a housing society help each other find solutions when they face common, real-life challenges and get involved in sticky situations.

Cast: Dilip Joshi, Disha Vakani, Amit Bhatt

Watch on: Netflix

FOREIGN

MOON KNIGHT (English, series)

Steven Grant and mercenary Marc Spector investigate the mysteries of the Egyptian gods from inside the same body.

Cast: Oscar Isaac, Gaspard Ulliel, Ethan Hawke

Watch on: Disney+Hotstar

BETTER NATE THAN NEVER (English, series)

Nate Foster struggles to land roles in his middle school's drama productions while he fantasises about becoming a Broadway star.

Cast: Joshua Bassett, Lisa Kudrow, Rueby Wood

Watch on: Disney+Hotstar

TOMORROW (Korean, series)

A young job seeker is unable to find employment. Through an accident, he meets the angels of death who have the task of preventing suicide, and works with them as the youngest contract worker in the crisis management team of death angels.

Cast: Rowoon, Kim Hee-sun, Lee Soo-hyuk

Watch on: Netflix

COMMUNITY (English, series)

A former lawyer attends a community college when it is discovered he faked his Bachelor's degree. In an attempt to woo a student in his Spanish class, he forms a Spanish study group. To his surprise, more people attend the study group and the group of misfits form an unlikely community.

Cast: Joel McHale, Danny Pudi, Alison Brie

SUBSCRIPTION

Disney+Hotstar: ₹ 499 per year
Apple TV: ₹ 99 per month
Prime Video: ₹ 179 per month
Netflix: ₹ 149 per month

OF LINKS AND LIFE

THE past week must have seen some hectic linking across the country – link Aadhaar with PAN, PAN with bank account, Aadhaar with ITR, Aadhaar with Demat account, PAN with PF account, Aadhaar with Mutual Fund account.... It can be overwhelming, with the powers-that-be warning of dire consequences if they find any missing links. KYC recalcitrance can lead to frozen accounts and blocked access, and your folios and monies could vanish into the dark depths of the IEPF Account. That's the tyranny of technology. Last heard, a magnanimous government had given three more months to complete linking accounts and identity.

But what will Kumudha link? She has neither Aadhaar nor PAN nor bank account. In her late 60s, the unlettered woman with a weak heart, an empty account and no Aadhaar proof, has no access to old age pension, PDS foodgrains, gas subsidy, or even her identity. When Kumudha applied for her Aadhaar, giving the government access to her irises and fingerprints, her phone number and address, she expected the slim envelope to land home. Years passed, and the colourful envelope remained elusive. Attempts to download her e-Aadhaar says her number is not registered, but is clearly printed on the application receipt. Officials have chased her out each time she has tried to get her crucial 12-digit number.

Hence, Kumudha is Aadhaar-less. It's almost a rejection of her identity. The elusive Aadhaar has ensured that Kumudha is quietly excluded from the charmed circle of benefactors – she can neither get ration (Aadhaar-BPL card not linked), she cannot get free health facilities at government hospitals (same reason), neither LPG subsidy (no Aadhaar link), nor her measly old-age pension of ₹500 (yes, Aadhaar again). Even a Covid-19 test and vaccine are inextricably linked to whether you have proof that you are you. So Kumudha has fallen by the tech wayside, deprived of her rights.

She has reached out to the more literate among her neighbours for help, and they have also come up against a stone wall, assiduously built by babudom. No doubt, there must be a way out of the mess, but it is still not visible. Technology, the great enabler, has left Kumudha disabled.

There is more such tech trauma. A senior citizen who passed away recently, having taken only a single vaccine, was certified with a fresh new double-vaccine certificate. Automatically generated, posthumous. Similarly, a teenager with a single-jab status, was given second-shot Covaxin certification. No questions asked, no vaccine used. And no Aadhaar checked. Ah, the wonders of technology! While the virtual certificate does open doors to malls, movie halls, airports, foreign destinations and wherever else, it also leaves behind confusion of how to get the real syringe-and-vax second shot. Not that it holds much importance in today's masks-off situation, but one never knows. In a world ruled by tech, best to keep everything linked and ready.

ILLUSTRATION: SOURAV ROY

RAISING THE BARRE

Based on popular dance form ballet, barre workouts are now trending in Bengaluru with fitness enthusiasts opting for the 'low intensity, high impact' exercise

MONIKA MONALISA

IF you are one of those who gets intimidated by heavy weights, then you are not alone. If fitness is your mantra but workouts are not, something that you might be inclined towards is this new workout, barre.

Fitness instructor and co-founder of Chakra Athletica, Nastassja Suri, explains this workout as a routine that is formed of many tiny movements. "It has small movements which have a massive impact on your body. We focus on doing many reps. It works muscles which you might not even know existed. Barre shapes, chisels and tones you along with building strength," says Suri.

Based on popular dance form ballet, barre workouts are quite popular abroad, especially in the USA and UK, but is yet to pick up pace here. "I was exposed to it in the US, while I was studying in college in Boston. A lot of my friends were going for barre classes. We started it here just over a month ago. It is always a full house," says the 25-year-old entrepreneur, who has been organising barre events in bars in recent times.

Fashion designer Sarita Mandoth, who attended one of those barre events, loves 'low intensity, high impact' workouts. "If you go gymming and do heavy weights, you may be put off by it... firstly because it's heavy, and can give you body aches. In barre workouts, the weights are light and you can stop whenever you want to. You feel stronger after every class," assures Mandoth, adding that she had first tried out barre while she was in California.

Yogain Salian, personal instructor, says though it is getting popular in the city in recent times, his clients who have given it a try, have taken a liking to the form. "It is more aesthetically appealing and is inspired from a dance form. So it is a very creative workout form," says Salian. And that is precisely why Tanya Sen took up this work out form too. "I like the subtle movements and its focus on flexibility," says Sen, a digital marketeer.

A barre class in progress

BACK IN TIME

Barre was created in 1956, by Lotte Berk, a former ballerina and a dance teacher, in London in 1959. After injuring her back, Berk got the idea of combining her ballet barre routines with her rehabilitative therapy to form an exercise system

Barre shapes, chisels and tones you along with building strength. It has small movements which have a massive impact on your body
— Nastassja Suri, fitness instructor

If you go gymming and do heavy weights, you may be put off by it. In barre workouts, the weights are light. You feel stronger after every class— Sarita Mandoth, fashion designer

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I, **PRIYA VIKRAMSINGH THAKUR** R/at B- 325, Bhavisha Bentley Greens Sy. No.15/1, Sompura Gate, Kadagrahara, Bengaluru Rural-562125 have changed my name to **PRIEYAA ANEESH KUMARR** vide affidavit dated:1/4/2022 Before Notary **Sivakumara.M.N** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **HANAA NAZIR** D/o **SHAZADA NAUSHAD NAZIR, aged about 18 years, Residing at: Old No.20, New No.22, 1st Cross, Ranka Nagar, Kavalbyrasandra New Extension, R.T. Nagar, Bengaluru 550032, have changed my name to SEHRISH NAZIR** vide affidavit dated 01-04-2022 sworn to before Advocate and notary O.S. Turamari, Bangalore.

AFFIDAVIT
I, **AMAN SINGH RAI,** S/o Bikramjit Singh Rai, R/at No. 6, Cascading Meadows, Margondanaahalli, T.C. Palya Main Road, K.R. Puram, Bengaluru-560036, Karnataka do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **AMAN RAI** to **AMAN SINGH RAI**, henceforth I shall be known and called as **AMAN SINGH RAI** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 4-4-2022, sworn before Advocate and Notary **G. Rajendra** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SAROJA THAMMAIAH**, age 63 years, W/o Late N. Gopala, residing at # 9, Venkateshwara Nilaya, Annayappa Colony, Behind Ganesha Temple, HAL III Stage, NEw Thippasandra Post, Bengaluru-560 075, Karnataka do hereby declare that I have changed my name from SAROJAMMA THAMMAIAH to **SAROJA THAMMAIAH**, henceforth I shall be known and called as **SAROJA THAMMAIAH** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 4-4-2022, sworn before Advocate and Notary **S. Ramesh** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **LIBAN ANGELO XAVIER,** D/o. Salvador Fernandes, Resident at No. 11, 1st Floor, Site No. 49/50, Prithvi Layout, Edgah Road, Behind Government High School, Varthur, Bangalore - 560 085, hereby declare that I have changed my name from **LIBAN SALVADOR FERNANDES** to **LIBAN ANGELO XAVIER** vide affidavit dated 31.03.2022 sworn to before B.M. Chandrashekar, Advocate & Notary Public, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) LILLY KUMARI,** W/o. Late No. 6263436 Rank Ex-Spr Unit Signal Name Late C Robert residing at No. 226, 6th Cross, Janakiram Layout, RS Palya, Bangalore North, Kammanahalli, Bangalore-560084, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) LILLY KUMARI** to **(NEW NAME) LILLY MARY** and my correct DOB is 08 Nov 1947 vide affidavit Dated 29/03/2022 sworn before Notary S.R.Nanjunda Swamy, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SHREYA GATTANI,** W/o. VIKAS BHUTRA, Aged 28 years, R/at Flat No.C-062, Sobha Magnolia, Bannerghatta Road, N G Palya, Bengaluru-560029, have changed my name to **SHREYA BHUTRA,** vide affidavit dated: 04.04.2022 before notary VEENA HADAGALI, Bengaluru.

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CHANGE OF NAME
I. **SATYAPRIYA R. (Passport No. K2119862 Aadhaar Card No. 5079 0298 6280). aged about 38 years , residing at No.213, 2nd Main Road, Morning Star English School, Ramachandrapuram, Bangalore North, Srirampuram, Bangalore North, Bengaluru 560021, have changed my name from SATHYAPRIYA RAJESH to SATYAPRIYA RAJESH** vide affidavit dated 24-03-2022 sworn to before Advocate and notary Jayappa .A, Bangalore.

AFFIDAVIT
I, **VENKATARAMANA REDDY,** S/o Chennappa, age 54 years, R/at No. 410, 9th A Main, HRBR Layout, 1st Block, Near Babusa Palya Bus Stand, Kalyan Nagar, Bengaluru-43 do hereby declare that both the names i.e. **VENKATARAMANA REDDY** and **VENKATESHWARA REDDY** are one and the same and refers to me only, vide affidavit dated 31-03-2022, sworn before VI Addl. Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SINDHU S** (New Name), Aged about 39 years, W/o. Avinash, Residing at Flat No.001, Ground Floor, Prasanna Nilayam, 6th 'E' Main, Gaurav Nagar, Opp. Reliance Club, J.P. Nagar 7th Phase, Bangalore - 560078, Karnataka State, India, that I have changed my name from **SINDHU** (Old Name) to **SINDHU S** (New Name), henceforth I shall be known and called as **SINDHU S** (New Name) only for all purpose, vide Affidavit dated : 04/04/2022 before Notary **Hegde Ganapati Venkatraman**, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **B MANOHAR** Son of Late Sri. H. Bhadrappa, Aged about 41 years, Residing at No. 3993, 18th Cross, Banashankari 2nd Stage, Bidarahalli, Bengaluru - 560 070, I declare that my daughter's name is **AGAMYA MANOHAR,** as entered in her School records and also known as **AGAMYA GAYANA MANOHAR** which HAVE TO BE recorded in her Passport. I hereby declare that both the names i.e., **AGAMYA GAYANA MANOHAR** and **AGAMYA MANOHAR** are one and the same person belongs my daughter's name only. Vide affidavit dated 04.04.2022 sworn to before P.N. Nagesha, Advocate & Notary, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) CANDACE DIANA WILLIAMS,** Residing at No. 54, Vijay Deep Apartments, Flat No. 001, Ground Floor, 60 Feet Road, Amarjyothi Layout, Sanjaynagar, Bengaluru-560094, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) CANDACE DIANA WILLIAMS** to **(NEW NAME) CANDACE SINGH** vide affidavit Dated 02/04/2022 sworn before Notary Uday Kumar.K, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I JALEEL, R/A Door No.3, Ejipura Main Road, Bangalore-560047 Affirm to state that I have changed my Minor Daughter's name from **INAH P JALEEL** to **INAH P** Vide Affidavit Dated: 31/3/2022 Before Notary Vatsala, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SERVICE NO 16133487W** SPR REVAPPA BETAGERI of unit 'M' COY TRG BN – III, MEG & CENTRE, BANGALORE 560033, Have changed my Brother **(OLD NAME) VITTAL MAHADEV BETAGIRI** to **(NEW NAME) VITTAL BETAGERI** Vide Affidavit Dated 21.03.2022 sworn before Notary Meer Hassan Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **ASMA FATHIMA MOHAMMED IBRAHIM,** aged 45yrs, W/o. Mohamed Rizwan, Residing at # 27/10, M.R.R. Line, Kalasipalya, Bengaluru-560002, have changed my name to **ASMA FATHIMA,** vide affidavit dated: 04.04.2022 before Notary N. KANCHIVARADARAJU, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Adarsh Jain / Adarsh,** R/o No. 4, Keli Kunj, Chakravarthy Iyengar Layout, 1st Main Road, Seshadripuram, Bangalore -560020 have changed my name to **K. Adarsh Jain,** vide Affidavit dated: 30/03/2022, sworn before Notary **D S Chandrakanth** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, No. JC-413288X Rank SUB Name: Jayarama Naik Father of Sinchana resident of Vill-Halageri, PO-Halageri, Teh- Siddapur, Distt-Karwar (UK), Karnataka, Pin-581355 have changed my daughter name from **SINCHANA** to **SINCHANA J NAIK** vide affidavit dated 28/03/2022 before Notary L.B. Anasuyamma, Metropolitan Area, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **KODUVALLY BYREGOWDA HAREESHA,** (old name) aged about 50 years, S/o Late K.N. Byre Gowda, residing at No. 23, 17th Main, Freedom Fighters Layout, Laggere, Bangalore - 560058 have changed my name from **KODUVALLY BYREGOWDA HAREESHA** (old name) to **KODUVALLY BYREGOWDA HARISH** (new name) for all purpose, Sworn before Onkarappa N.R., Advocate and Notery, Government of India, Vide affidavit dated: 04.04.2022.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) LOKESHKUMAR JAYENDRABHAI MEHTA,** residing at No. 431, 3rd Floor, 'B' Block, Mahaveer Laurel, 2/4 Cross, Manjunath Layout, Kodichikkanahalli, Bangalore-560076, Karnataka, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) LOKESHKUMAR JAYENDRABHAI MEHTA** to **(NEW NAME) LOKESHBHAI JAYENDRABHAI MEHTA** vide affidavit Dated 26/03/2022 sworn before Notary R.Vishwanath, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I JALEEL, R/A Door No.3, Ejipura Main Road, Bangalore-560047 affirm to state that I have changed my Minor Daughter's name from **ISHA P JALEEL** to **ISHA P** Vide Affidavit Dated: 31/3/2022 Before Notary Vatsala, Bangalore.

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CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SERVICE NO 15331702L** NK(L) MALLAYYA PUJERI, of unit : 222 FD COY, 22 ENGR REGT, C/O 56 APO, Pin : 914022, Have changed My Daughter **(OLD NAME) VARSHA** to **(NEW NAME) VARSHA MALLAYYA PUJERI** Vide Affidavit Dated 01.04.2022 sworn Before Notary S.I. BALAGURU Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **JEEVA VENKATESH** residing at No.55/15,Sowparnika Nilaya, Basavasamiti Layout, Thindlu, Vidyaranyapura, Bangalore 560097,Karnataka, India, Date of birth 26.07.1969, I have changed my name from **JEEVA VENKATESH** to **JEEVA VADIVELU** vide affidavit dated 04.04.2022 sworn before Advocate and Notary Varija C.J. Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Shakuntala Devi** R/o No. 4, Keli Kunj, Chakravarthy Iyengar Layout, 1st Main Road, Seshadripuram, Bangalore -560020 have changed my name to **Shakuntala Bai,** vide Affidavit dated : 30/03/2022 sworn before Notary **D S Chandrakanth** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, SANKET, S/o Service No.JC-413288X, Rank Sub Name: Jayarama Naik, R/o Vill-Halageri, PO Halageri, Teh-Siddapur, Dist: Karwar (UK), Pin-581355, have changed my name from **SANKET** to **SANKET J NAIK** vide affidavit dated 28-03-2022 before Notary L.B.Anasuyamma, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **ARUNA VENUGOPAL ALIAS ARUNA VENUGOPALNATESHAN IYER ALIAS ARUNA.V. IYER (OLD NAME),** Aged about 41 years, W/o. T.G. Madhusudhana, residing at: No.14, 13th Cross, Ejipura Main Road, Vivek Nagar Post, Bengaluru-560047, Karnataka, India, shall henceforth be known as **ARUNA IYER,** vide affidavit dated 04.04.2022 before notary K V MANI, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) CHETANABEN LOKESHKUMAR MEHTA,** residing at No. 431, 3rd Floor, 'B' Block, Mahaveer Laurel, 2/4 Cross, Manjunath Layout, Kodichikkanahalli, Bangalore-560076, Karnataka, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) CHETANABEN LOKESHKUMAR MEHTA** to **(NEW NAME) CHETANA LOKESHBHAI MEHTA** vide affidavit Dated 26/03/2022 sworn before Notary R.Vishwanath, Bangalore.

Change of Name
I, Kusumita Keshava, aged 23 years, D/o. Keshava. R, Residing at No. 9, Arna, 6th cross, Sri Sai Layout, Kaverinagar, Horamavu Agra Main Road, off: Hennur Main Road, Bangalore- 560043, do hereby change my name from Kusumita Keshava to Kushi.K. for all practical purposes in future. Sworn before Notary G.R. Ravichandra Reddy on 1-4-2022 at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **VARA LAKSHMI** spouse of NO 15320255M HAV RAJA NALLALA Residing at Sidhardh Nagar (vill), Ponnur (post & taluk), Guntur (Dist), Andhra Pradesh (state), Pin : 522124, Have changed My Name to **(NEW NAME) NALLALA VARALAKSHMI,** Vide Affidavit Dated 31.03.2022 sworn before Notary Meer Hassan Bangalore.

AFFIDAVIT
I, **AMAN SINGH RAI,** S/o Bikramjit Singh Rai, R/at No. 6, Cascading Meadows, Margondanahalli, T.C. Palya Main Road, K.R. Puram, Bengaluru-560036, Karnataka do hereby declare that my father's correct name is **BIKRAMJIT SINGH RAI** but in my passport, it is wrongly mentioned as BIKRAMJEET SINGH RAI, henceforth my father's name will be known and called as **BIKRAMJIT SINGH RAI** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 4-4-2022, sworn before Advocate and Notary **G. Rajendra** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **ILIAS AHMED,** S/o Nazeer Ahmed, aged about 62 years, R/a No. 57, NAJM Sapphire, 6th Cross, Annayappa Block, Benson Town post, Bengaluru-560046, do hereby declare my correct name is **ILIAS AHMED** but in my passport, it is wrongly spelt as **ILIYAS AHMED,** similarly my wife's name is wrongly spelt as **UMMUL KHAIR** in my passport instead of **UMUL KHAIR,** henceforth in my passport, our names to be spelt as **ILIAS AHMED** and my wife's name to be spelt as **UMUL KHAIR,** vide affidavit dated 24th March 2022, sworn before Advocate and Notary **T.C. THIMMARAJA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SREENIVASA SUBBAIAH, resident of No.79/2, Devanathachar Street, Chamarajpet, Bengaluru-560018 have changed my name to SUBBAIAH SRINIVAS** vide Affidavit dated 01.04.2022 sworn to before Advocate and Notary T.C. Thimmaraja, Bangalore

ANNOUNCEMENT
I, **MARIA KEMULEN A,** S/o. Anthony Raj, residing at No. 29, 2nd Cross, 1st Stage, Pillanna Garden, Bangalore-560084, hereby state that in my company EPFO Portal my name is mistakenly mentioned as **VIDHYA ARUNRAJ** instead of **MARIA KEMULEN A.** I Further declare that my correct name is **MARIA KEMULEN.A** vide affidavit Dated 04/04/2022 sworn before Notary Uday Kumar.K, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) RAJ LOKESHKUMAR MEHTA,** residing at No. 431, 3rd Floor, 'B' Block, Mahaveer Laurel, 2/4 Cross, Manjunath Layout, Kodichikkanahalli, Bangalore-560076, Karnataka, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) RAJ LOKESHKUMAR MEHTA** to **(NEW NAME) RAJ LOKESHBHAI MEHTA** vide affidavit Dated 26/03/2022 sworn before Notary R.Vishwanath, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I Rajan R. Residing at #410, TP Kuppan Compound, Periyar Nagar, Bangalore North, Frazer Town, Bangalore - 560005 have changed my name from **STEPHEN RAJ** to **RAJAN R** vide affidavit dated 05-03-2022 sworn before Notary Uday Kumar, Bangalore.

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CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SERVICE NO JC - 312115Y** SUB VIJAY.A, of unit : Depot Bn, MEG &CENTRE, Bangalore 560042, Have changed My Daughter **(OLD NAME) V. CHARANNIA** to **(NEW NAME) CHARANNIA .V** and son **(OLD NAME) V. DARSHAN** to **(NEW NAME) DARSHAN .V** Vide affidavit Dated 01.04.2022 sworn before Notary S.I. BALAGURU Bangalore.

AFFIDAVIT
I, **AMAN SINGH RAI,** S/o Bikramjit Singh Rai, R/at No. 6, Cascading Meadows, Margondanaahalli, T.C. Palya Main Road, K.R. Puram, Bengaluru-560036, Karnataka do hereby declare that my mother's correct name is **REENA RAI,** but in my passport, it is wrongly mentioned as REENA RAI BIKRAMJEET SINGH RAI, henceforth my mother's name will be known and called as **REENA RAI** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 4-4-2022, sworn before Advocate and Notary **G. Rajendra** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **K. THYAGARAJA REDDY,** father of Master K. LOHITH SAI REDDY, resident of Flat No. 401, Sai Krupa Regency, bhuvaneshwari Nagar, C.V. Raman Nagar, Bangalore-560 093 have changed the name of my minor son **Master K. LOHTITH SAI** to **Master K. LOHITH SAI REDDY,** vide affidavit dated 04/04/2022 sworn before Notary **Shri T.C. Thimmaraja** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **VIJAYALAXMI** D/o. U Ramesh Resident No. 3-W-3, 152/4, Kadri Kambla Road , Vasashree Residency , Flat No.102, Kadri, Mangalore , Dakshina Kannada, Karnataka - 575004. I am Changing My Name to **VIJAYALAXMI SUVARNA** and I Shall hereafter be known as **VIJAYALAXMI SUVARNA** .Vide Affidavit dated 04.04.2022 before Notary Chandrakala, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) MARIA ZEBULEN,** S/o. Anthony Raj.M, residing at No. 29, 2nd Cross, 1st Stage, Pillanna Garden, Bangalore-560084, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) MARIA ZEBULEN** to **(NEW NAME) MARIA ZEBULEN.A** vide affidavit Dated 23/02/2022 sworn before Notary Rahmathulla Sharief, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) MANJULA KARADIPALYA NANJAPPA,** residing at No. 303, 1st Stage, 5th Main, 6th Phase, WOC Road, Mahaganapathinagar, Bangalore -560010, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) MANJULA KARADIPALYA NANJAPPA** to **(NEW NAME) MANJULA RAVIKIRAN** vide affidavit Dated 26/03/2022 sworn before Notary R.Vishwanath, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I,**SURI SWATHI,** Wife ofSuriSrikanth, residing at No.11 & 12, SF-01. 2nd Floor, SV Classic Apts, 4th B Main, Kalyani Nagar, Vasanthapura, Bangalore-560061, Karnataka, India, have changed my name from **SURI SWATHI** to **SWATHI MALLADI**, vide affidavit dated:04/04/2022 sworn before notary B.K.R KRISHNAMURTHY, Bangalore.

Dhanveerrah

DHANVEERRAH TO STAR IN JAYATHIRTHA'S *KAIVA*

This director has come up with a romantic drama with elements of crime; film will be based on a true incident that took place in 1983

A SHARADHAA

DHANVEERRAH will be collaborating with director Jayathirtha for his next. The project commenced with a simple muhurath on the occasion of Ugadi. Jayathirtha, the director of *Olave Mandara*, *Beautiful Manasugalu*, and the upcoming pan-India film, *Banaras*, is said to have come up with an interesting subject.

Kaiva will feature Dhanveerrah in the titular role, which is inspired by the lord's name, Kaivara Bheema. The project, which is a romantic drama with elements of crime, is based on true incidents that took place in 1983. More details about the film is expected to be out soon.

Dhanveerrah with director Jayathirtha and team

Currently, *Dhanveerrah* is busy shooting for *Vamana*, an action entertainer directed by Shankar Raman. This will be the actor's third outing after *Bazaar* and *By2Love*.

On the other side, Jayathirtha is busy with the post-production work of his next film, *Banaras*, and the team is looking for an August release. The film marks the debut of Zaid Khan and has Sonal Monteiro playing the female lead.

This multilingual film, *Banaras* made in Kannada, will be dubbed and released in Tamil, Telugu, Malayalam, and Hindi. The makers have shot the film at all 64 ghats in the backdrop of Varanasi.

Hindi rights of Kiran Raj's *Bharjari Gandu* sold for a 'good price'

CE FEATURES

KIRAN Raj, a popular face on the small screen, is equally focussed on his silver screen career too. Having worked in films like *Jeevana Nataka Swamy*, and the Telugu film, *Nuvve Naa Pranam*, Kiran is set to turn a full-fledged hero with *Bharjari Gandu*.

Directed by *Ratnamanjarii* filmmaker Prasiddh, the film is now in the post-production stage. *Bharjari Gandu*'s teaser was released recently to a lot of attention, and the latest development is that the Hindi dubbing rights of the film have been sold for a 'good price'.

With Yasho Shivakumar as the female lead role, the film stars Nisarga Lakshman in a pivotal role. The film was earlier titled *Bahaddhur Gandu,* which was inspired from a Dr. Rajkumar classic. However, the team decided to change the title to *Bharjari Gandu*.

Billed to be a musical with 11 songs, which will be scored by Gumineni Vijay. *Bharjari Gandu* will have Kitty Kaushik handling the cinematography.

Kiran Raj, who is juggling between serial and films, has an impressive lineup of films including *Baddis*, *Chicken Puliyogre*, *Chatushpatha*, and *Vikram Gowda*, which are at different stages of production.

Kiran Raj

Sachin Dhanpal and Sunny Leone

CHAMPION TO FEATURE SUNNY LEONE IN A SPECIAL SONG

The sports-drama, starring Sachin Dhanpal, is directed by Shahuraja Shinde

CE FEATURES

CHAMPION, a sports-based film, which marks the debut of Sachin Dhanpal Patil has Bollywood actor Sunny Leone making a comeback to Kannada. Sunny, who has previously worked in Kannada films like DK and *Love You Alia*, will feature in a special song in *Champion*.

The music for this song with the hook line, *Dinger Billi*, is composed by Ajaneesh B Loknath, and written by Shivu Beragi. The shooting of this track was shot a couple of months ago, and the makers shared a few stills featuring Sunny Leone and the lead actor. Based on athletics, the film is about a small-town guy and his achievements. The makers, who launched the film's teaser recently, are now awaiting the censor certificate.

Backed by Shivanand S Neelannavar, the film is helmed by Shahuraja Shinde and features Aditi Prabhudeva as the female lead.

Sachin, who belongs to an army background, worked a 9 to 5 job as an NRI investment banker, and quit his job 5 years ago to pursue his acting dream.

Champion has senior actors Devaraj, Rangayana Raghu, Suman Talwar, Shobaraj, Chikkanna, Girish Shivanna, Prashant Siddhi, and Govinde Gowda in the cast. The film's cinematography is by Sarvanan Natarajan.

Chris Hemsworth-starrer *Extraction 2* wraps up production

CE FEATURES

THE much-anticipated *Extraction 2* has wrapped up production. The film's director Sam Hargrave announced the news through a video on Instagram.

"That's a wrap!!! Last day of principle photography on *Extraction 2*. What an incredible journey. Thank you to all of the cast and crew, this was an epic achievement and I am so proud of everyone. THANK YOU!!!" wrote Hargrave as the caption of the video

Extraction 2, the sequel to Netflix's hit action film starring Chris Hemsworth, began production in Prague in November. The first part had Hemsworth playing the role of a black-ops mercenary, Tyler Rake. Based on the graphic novel Ciudad by Ande Parks, Joe Russo, Anthony Russo, Fernando León González, and Eric Skillman, Extraction became a raging success with one of the biggest Netflix premieres in 2020. It's estimated that 90 million households watched the film within one month of its release. Though plot details of the sequel remain unknown, set photos and an earlier teaser revealed that the new film will take the action to the snowy terrains. Hargrave directs *Extraction 2* from a script written by Joe Russo. Joe and Anthony Russo produce the sequel through their AGBO production company.

Aparna Sen: Pro-choice isn't the same as pro-abortion

In this candid conversation, director Aparna Sen speaks about why it was important to not take sides in her new film, *The Rapist*

PRIYANKA SUNDAR

THE Rapist, starring Konkana Sen Sharma and Arjun Rampal, has garnered attention for its portrayal of the life of an assault victim, Naina Malik, and her consequent nightmares. The question that haunts her is, why? Why did the man do that to her? The Aparna Sen directorial has been hailed as a conversation starter among critics, and the film has been appreciated for its treatment and the lead actors' performances. Naina, who gets pregnant after the assault, has to decide whether she wants the baby, and this takes the film into the pro-life, pro-choice debate.

In this interview with Cinema Express, Aparna talks about wanting to start a conversation with the film, and hopes that her film, with its documentary-like treatment, will provoke thought. Excerpts from the interview:

Was it hard not to take sides as a writer in such a story?

I was determined not to take sides. This was an important decision for this premise. Also, I don't know which side to take, honestly. This couple that are involved (Konkana Sen Sharma and Arjun Rampal) ... it is very much their story. What started it all was the question, 'Why does a man become a rapist?' Nobody is born a rapist. When do they turn into one? Why? These questions have been bothering me for a long time. Also, I believe that killing them, or arranging a police encounter, is not the solution. Research has proved that the death penalty isn't a deterrent for crime. Is it necessary? Maybe it is. I don't know. I have handled this story as a director; but not an all-knowing one. I have played the role of a director who is looking for solutions.

What do you look for in characters?

Contradictions, mainly. I don't think characters are black or white. I think there are many layers to people. Kanishka Agarwal, for instance, was wonderful in the role. Actually, we didn't even rehearse. She somehow managed to open up all the suppressed emotions of the characters and allowed them to come out and inform the scenes.

What did you enjoy about Konkana's performance?

There is one thing I knew about her, and that is she never goes over the top. She and I trust each other implicitly. She has a great sense of where to draw the line. She is an instinctive actor. I don't see her preparing, but she obviously does that. She is always on top of her lines, and you won't come across a bad shot because she forgot her lines. She learns her lines meticulously. Apart from that, she allows her character to marinate inside her and lets it come out in the scene.

What did you seek from Arjun in terms of the complicated character he plays?

I chose him because he has a demeanour and an appearance that communicates something noble. I liked him very much in Rajneeti, Rock On... I have always thought he is an underrated actor. I have found him to be an understated actor as well. This is what I wanted for his character. I didn't want the 'acting' to be evident. The characters must be seen to live their life. Arjun more than fulfilled my expectations... he was amazing.

Any reason why you haven't really taken a position when it comes to the pro-choice, pro-life debate?

You may think you are pro-choice, but when it comes to a crunch situation, you may turn pro-life. You may think you are a liberal, but when it comes to a crucial situation, you may find that there is deep conditioning that makes you say things that you never thought you would. All through the film, you see that there is no one definite thing that anybody subscribes to. There are all these shades of feelings.

What's your own take on the pro-choice debate?

When you say pro-choice, one can still think of pro-choice meaning pro-abortion. But no, that's not the case. Pro-choice is that it is a woman's choice that she wants to keep the baby or not. There is a tendency in society that the moment a woman says, 'I want to keep the baby', people think that it is pro-life. No. She may choose either way. It's not as simple as people think it is.

Aparna Sen